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CONDITIONS IMPROVING

The Monthly Review of business conditions by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City gives encouraging news in reference to the immediate outlook for business. This bank notices that things have already assumed an upward turn. The statement says:

"Easement of the financial situation in this District is working improvement to the situation in general. Money from heavy marketing of farm products is showing up in further liquidation of loans, and bank deposits are increasing. The banks at market centers and also many of the country banks are carrying a large volume of bills covering wheat and flour shipments and are handling the situation admirably.

"Effective August 1, 1921, the application of the progressive discount rate was suspended by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. The progressive rate was adopted in April, 1920, under provisions of an amendment to the Federal Reserve Act, as an emergency measure. After about fourteen months of its operation general conditions had so manifestly improved that it was felt it might be safely suspended at this time."

The one crop which will show a slump in production is cotton, such a slump probably being the best thing for the industry. J. W. Jay & Co., well known cotton commission merchants of New York, estimate the production of the United States for 1921 at 7,470,000 bales plus 260,000 linters, or a total yield of all less than 8,000,000 bales, against more than 13,000,000 for 1920.

The yield of cotton, however, does not mean that the South will get less for it than a big crop would have brought. The carry over from the 1920 crop on July 1, the end of the cotton year, was approximately 9,000,000 bales. When we add to this the production for this year we get a total of only 16,000,000 bales. A fair estimate of the consumption by American and European mills for the next twelve months will be 12,000,000, leaving only a 4,000,000 carry over next July. This is hardly enough to keep the stocks of the mills up to normal between July 1 and the time the 1921 crop will be on the market.

That the price of cotton should continue to go up, therefore, does not seem unlikely. One thing is certain and that is the supply of cotton is getting back near the demand. This means that growing cotton is to be on a more substantial basis after this year than it has been since the war closed.

How does all this apply locally? As we see it, there will be some money in growing cotton for the next few years, if due caution is taken not to plant too large acreage, and locally to take means to control the ravages of the boll weevil. Many methods of control have been tried here and there, and some of them have been very efficacious. It is likely that by using some of these methods, the weevil can be kept down.

Business is getting on a sound basis again, that much is certain. Money is getting easier, farm products are moving, and cattle and hogs are about to become profitable. If in addition to the generally improved conditions, Pontotoc County can get a creamery or milk reducing plant and a few thousand dairy cows to working, this county will be on a sounder basis than it has ever been.

KNOCKERS

The Maud knockers are not often seen fixing up their own places and making them look just as attractive as possible.—Maud Monitor.

Of course not. In the first place it would mean work with the hands instead of the jaw and the knocker usually detests real work above all things. Knocking with a hammer in improving a place has no attraction for the man accustomed only to use his tongue. Besides his mission is to tear down, not build anything up. Any mention of work always gives these fellows an attack of cramp colic.

In these days of numerous schools we have no patience with the boy who with no one but himself to support does not dig out an education. The way may be long and the obstacles not serious, but too many have demonstrated that it can be done for any doubt to exist. In the hustling and struggle necessary to succeed in this undertaking any boy will form steady habits of industry that will prove his making when he enters upon life's work, no matter what the sphere may be. Laziness, both mental and physical, is the besetting fault of the human race and mankind has advanced as it overcame this handicap. Will power is the greatest thing in the universe and this is something that can be cultured and strengthened.

The New York girl who offers to rent out her husband for the modest sum of \$5,000 per year no doubt places too high a valuation on him. She admits he is not making a living now, as he is spending most of his time writing poetry, extolling the beauty and talents of his bride, but she thinks he ought to bring the sum named on the open market. No doubt some women have husbands they would pay a handsome bonus to have taken off their hands.

"THE LIGHT THAT FAILED!"

THE SAME OLD STORY—AND STILL THEY FALL FOR IT!



"VAMPS" WHO MADE HISTORY

By JAMES C. YOUNG.

THE VAMPIRE WHO WON MILLIONS.

SHE was a woman beloved by two kings. She sold the secrets of each to the other, and made millions in the process.

Louis XIV first loved dainty Louise de Querouaille. But the historians say that she proved unfaithful to her royal admirer. Louis did not let this prevent him from sending her to England in the train of a court lady bound there on a visit of state. And he told Louise to captivate Charles II of England. Then she was to send him news of England's statecraft and to influence Charles so that he would make concessions which the French monarch wanted. For all of which Louis engaged to pay her handsomely.

Louise found the occupation such an easy one that she decided it would be just as simple to sell Charles news of Louis and his policies. So she received much gold from both kings, but it is said that she never informed Charles of anything more than trivial matters, remaining loyal to her own land.

This double traffic made Louise a very rich woman. But her ambition craved greater honors. She persuaded the English king to make her duchess of Portsmouth, and as such she was thoroughly despised by the English people. In addition to dealing in secrets of state she wielded her influence at the two courts to obtain many political appointments, for which she was duly paid by the appointees. But Louise was not sufficiently wise to hold all of this money, for she became a devotee of the gaming tables and lost large amounts with a superb indifference. At home she induced Louis to give her a high position in the French court, telling Charles that her visits to Paris were for the purpose of obtaining information about the plans of Louis. Then Charles suddenly died, in 1685. His successor, James II, packed Louise off to France, bag and baggage. Much of her wealth had been dissipated. She found herself without an occupation, her English possessions lost, and only a scanty welcome at home. And in the course of a little while she disappeared from court, her purse penniless. Louis paid heed to her misfortunes and granted a small pension which served to sustain the arch spy and vampire for the remainder of her brief days.

Germs are plentiful in the summer air, we breathe them every minute. In health they do no harm, but to those who have a bad liver, disordered stomach or constipated bowels they mean a spell of sickness. The best way to insure your health is to take Prickly Ash Bitters. It purifies and strengthens the system. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by Gwin & Mays. (adv)

Do you have a lot for sale, a house, an automobile, a cow, horse or anything else that somebody else wants? The quickest, cheapest and most satisfactory way to dispose of this is by using a "for sale" ad in the Ada Evening News.

Commercial Printing with class is the kind you get at the Ada News Print Shop. Prices are as low as excellent work will justify.

The Ada Evening News

Daily Ardmoreite

J. B. Champion, who handles a great number of divorce cases, says that when he began to practice law a few years ago about sixty per cent of the divorce cases were filed by women and 40 per cent by men. Since the world war the same attorney says about 90 percent of divorce cases are filed by women and the remaining 10 percent by men. Mr. Champion says he could not feel justified in expressing his opinion just why so many cases are filed by women. It is possible that women are asserting themselves more than in former years or it may be that the absence of men abroad in the army resulted in the alienization of their affections. If the increase of suits filed by women is due to the latter cause, the matter will be healed when those particular cases are weeded out and the percentage may drop back to 60 and 40 as they were prior to the war.

Spare The Rod Chickasha Star
The methods of the Oklahoma City parent who gave his sixteen-year-old daughter a good spanking because she stayed out until 1 a. m. is worthy of emulation by other parents. If the spanking method was employed more vigorously there would be fewer inmates of the state industrial school for girls. The great trouble today is that parents are so taken up with their own affairs that they do not know where their children are spending their time. The state training school for boys at Pauls Valley has at least thirty boys not over twelve years of age. If the fathers or mothers of those boys had applied a razor strap with sufficient energy we do not believe those youngsters would be there today.

Immigration

Farm Life

The ancient proverb that you can't eat your cake and have it, may be applicable to our present immigration policy. In Canada it is believed that our drastic laws curtailing immigration will divert the human stream to our neighbor on the north. Canada will welcome the immigrants. She is an agricultural country, and she will try to place them on farms. They will raise products to compete in the world markets with the goods produced by the American farmer. In this case we would not escape the competition of the emigrant, but we would lose the wealth which his labor would create. That there is a real danger of this very condition

S. L. McClure

M. C. TAYLOR

WELCOME MASONS

WE EXTEND you our hand in token of continued friendship and brotherly love and invite you to make our store your headquarters while in Ada.



The Store for Men and Boys.

is shown by the statement that vessels are being added to the Canadian steamship lines. It is reported also, that some American vessel which formerly ran between New York and Europe will in the future make Montreal their port. The canny Canuck also figures another point in his favor in this connection. He says that practically all immigrants have friends and relatives in the United States, and that these will be enticed across the line into Canada. Tariff and immigration laws do not seem so simple as they once did.

PREFERENCES.

Rusk News: Why a Southern gentleman will wear Japan silk instead of Southern cotton is one of the hardest things to understand. And why farmers will give mortgages on their cotton crops to buy silk clothes for their children is a problem too hard for the average man to solve. But mysteries do not stop there. These same people will wonder why there is not a greater demand for cotton and blame somebody because silk is so high and cotton so cheap.

Southern gentlemen sometimes prefer Japanese silk to Southern cotton for the same reason that some Southern gentlemen prefer French champagne to native mountain dew. Silk is more desirable for some purposes.

Good appetite, vigor and cheerful spirits follow the use of Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for working men. It purifies the stomach, liver and bowels, and makes work a pleasure. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by Gwin & Mays. (adv)

The Ada Weekly News is gradually becoming a real farmers' news paper, edited by Byron Norrell. It not only has a wide circulation, but an advertisement in it carries also the prestige of its reputation for truth and right dealing.

Phone 4 is the place to get service in job work or advertising.

FREE DEMONSTRATION!

LAUN-DRY-ETTE
electric washing machine
WASHES AND DRIES WITHOUT A HAND



With a Laun-Dry-ETTE you can do your washing without putting your hands in the water and you will not be bothered with broken buttons, bent fasteners and all the other annoyances caused by the wringer, for the Laun-Dry-ETTE way is the wringerless way.

Call in any time and look them over.

GAY ELECTRIC CO.
121 South Broadway

WELCOME A. F. & A. M. VISITORS

We Bid You a Hearty Welcome!

Make Yourself at Home In This Store

Our Service is your service, Its many conveniences are extended to you wholeheartedly, and cheerfully. If we are privileged to serve you, we shall do so eagerly and with the confidence that no more desirable stocks of merchandise, or more worthy values are obtainable.

We're here to help you get the most out of your visit. Command us for anything you want.

THE NEW AUTUMN MODES

In Suits, Frocks, Coats, Skirts and Blouses are ready for your inspection.

All purchases made by visitors will be sent express or parcel post prepaid. Don't bother carrying them—let us serve you.

ESTABLISHED 1903

SIMPSON'S

THE SURPRISE STORE

115-117 WEST MAIN ST.



"OVER THE BORDER" FOR FISH AND BIRDS AND BIG GAME

Have you ever stood in the stations at St. Paul or Minneapolis and watched the duck hunters returning from the northland, laden with spoils? Some proudly stagger under their trophies; others commandeer the station's electric donkey to haul their kill to the taxi line. It seems incredible that so many ducks ever existed, yet the kill is infinitesimal when compared to the vast flocks that inhabit the wilds of Ontario where they may be bagged from Sept. 1st to Dec. 15th.

Grouse, prairie fowl, partridge, pheasants, woodcock, plovers, geese, brant, rails, yellow legs and other feather folk keep the ducks company and tempt the man with gun.

September in the Ontario wilds is a time of genuine delight. The days have a pleasant warmth, the nights are invigoratingly cool; one wakens refreshed and ready to attack the camp breakfast. The popularity of the Ontario hunting grounds north of Minnesota and Lake Superior, is attested by the annually increasing number of sportsmen who make it their goal. In the spring, fishermen stream

northward by every train leaving Chicago. Their numbers are augmented as the train progresses. They are headed for Lake-of-the-Woods and Nipigon and the maze of streams and lakes that cover the western part of the province. In the fall, the hunters follow wearing expressions of expectancy on the way up and of satisfaction on the return trip.

This district is not only a fish

and bird country, it is also a land of big game. Some of the finest moose heads are brought down hereabouts while deer are every big game hunter's portion. A large new camp opened this season at Nipigon, fills a long felt need for more abundant accommodation at that point, and Bass Lake, a few miles distant by easy portage, offers many fine camping sites and exceptional fishing.

WONDERFUL GAIN IN WEIGHT REPORT

"Before I began taking Tanlac I only weighed 76 pounds, I now weigh over one hundred and am gaining every day," said Miss LaRue Davis, of Chattanooga, Tennessee.

"I bought my first bottle of Tanlac at Gas City, Ind., and it helped me so much that I continued using it. I have always been very delicate and suffered a great deal from stomach trouble and rheumatism. I rarely ever had any appetite and simply could not relish anything. I fell off until I only weighed 76 pounds and was so thin I looked perfectly awful. This is the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac.

"Oh, I feel so different now. Even my complexion is improved. My appetite is good and I can hardly get enough to eat. Tanlac is simply grand and I can truthfully say that it is the only medicine that has ever done me any good."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by M. A. Waits and by leading druggists everywhere.

City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's. Sadler Grocery, Phone 901. 1m

Let a News Want Ad Get it.

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

Mrs. Grace Edsall was here today from Konawa shopping.

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

It's cash, but cheaper at Wait's Drug store. 3-31-1f

Sheriff Bob Duncan made a business trip to Pauls Valley today.

Kit Carson guarantees to fix your battery troubles. Phone 124. 122 West 12th St. 8-7-23td

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, Proprietor. 8-5-1f

J. R. Cox of Roff was a business visitor in Ada today.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

We rebuild old shoes by the Goodyear system. Ada Electric Shoe Shop. 8-24-7t

Miss Thelma Harris of Sulphur was a business visitor in the city today.

Knott's Very Best Bread has no equal. 8c. 2 for 15c delivered. Phone 578. 8-29-2td

Dr. Keith, Dentist, open nights 7 to 9. Phone 1. Rollow Building. 6-1-1mo*

We make a specialty of silk shirts. Work done by hand. Ada Steam Laundry. 7-13-1 mo.

Miss Leila Early of Sulphur was in the city yesterday and today looking after business matters.

Old shoes made new by our Goodyear system. Ada Electric Shoe Shop. 8-24-7t

Knott's Bakery promptly delivers the Very Best Bread at 8c or 2 for 15c. 8-29-3td

A. W. Parker and O. A. Bayless are building new bungalows on South Cherry avenue. Mr. Parker's residence is near completion.

Ready cash for farm and ranch loans. A. L. BOWLES & CO., ground floor Guaranty Bank building, Ada, Okla., phone 878-868. 8-20-1f

Re-charging and three day battery rental. \$2.00. Phone 124.—Kit Carson Battery and Ignition Station 122 West 12th St. 8-7-23td

Mr. and Mrs. Erring left yesterday afternoon for Muskogee where they will spend a few days looking after business.

Hemstitching, dressmaking, pleating and buttons made of your own material.—Ada Hemstitching Shop. 8-25-5t

Phone 40, the Unique Cleaning and Tailoring company. Particular presses for particular people. 105 North Broadway. 8-13-1 mo.

T. E. Brents, United States Probation enforcement officer, left today for Coalgate with a prisoner to attend U. S. Commissioner's court.

We have farm lands for city property. A. L. BOWLES & CO., ground floor Guaranty Bank building, Ada, Okla., phone 878-868. 820-1f.

Mrs. A. K. Patten from Oklahoma City arrived in the city last night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brents and to assist her mother in moving into their new home on South Broadway.

Special through August and September. Hemstitching 10c per yd. All kinds of pleating done by Mrs. Geo. Harrison over Rollow Hardware Corner Main and Broadway. 8-2-1mo

Ed Brents, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brents of South Broadway, will leave Wednesday for Purcell where he has accepted a position for the coming year with the Purcell high school as athletic coach. Ed received his training while attending the East Central State Normal here.

Stammering Can Be Cured

Professor J. W. Shepherd will take a limited number of stammerers into his home for treatment and cure. For information write Professor J. W. Shepherd, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla. 8-17-1 mo.

Winona Mills Salesman will be in town for the next few days. Phone 217. 8-29-3t*

McCarthy Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-24-1mo

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Neal McDonald of Stratford was able to return to his home yesterday afternoon after spending a few days in the local hospital for treatment.

Ladies you are invited to look at the new styles in suits, coats and dresses for fall.—Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

Our new fall slippers are here—come and look them over.—Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

James B. Stokes entered the local hospital yesterday for an operation on his foot. He will be able to leave this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

Just received a large shipment of dresses in silk crepe and satins. Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

T. E. Brents expects to move his family into the new home being built for them at Fourteenth and Broadway in about ten days. Practically all the work has been completed except the interior decoration.

Come and look over our prices in shoes and slippers.—Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

Dr. Lewis Is Better

A report today on the condition of Dr. M. L. Lewis, has been seriously ill for several days, states that he is better and continues to improve, although he spent a restless night last night.

BEGGS—Only one Justice of the peace is located here now, since the resignation of Tom Chism, who has that he be called upon only in a change of venue. A. R. Juby is active Justice of the peace.

Rates for Classified Ads

Rates for classified advertising in this department are 15c per word for each insertion when more than one insertion is made; a minimum charge of 25c for one insertion only when 17 words or less are used. Copy must be in the office by 9:00 a. m. to insure proper classification. All want or classified ads must be accompanied by cash—no advertising of this class will be accepted unless paid for in advance.

Leone Steed

Announces the opening of her Piano Studio September 12th, for the season of 1921-22.

For further information Telephone 43, or address 623 South Townsend ave.

Pupils May Enroll Now

10c—PRICES—25c

IN SOCIETY

Pie Supper at Homer

It was a gay crowd that loaded a truck and attended a pie supper given at the Homer school house last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McLaughlin chaperoned the party.

Pies were sold for the benefit of the township fair and school. All report an excellent time, more than 15 people attending from Ada.

Mrs. Emmett Irvin of Henryetta is in the city for a visit with friends.

Tom Price of Clarita is in Ada this week visiting relatives.

Ed Wendell and family have returned from Sulphur where they spent a few days last week vacationing.

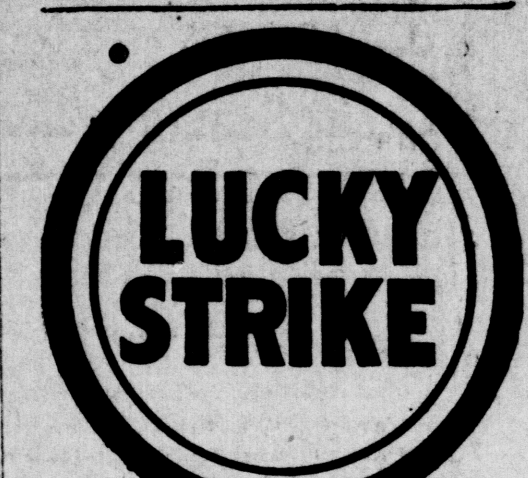
Mrs. D. A. Fentem of Holdenville was in the city last week-end visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Saunders and family have returned from a week's stay at Medicine Park. They report a good time.

John Agnew returned Sunday from Sulphur where he spent a week's vacation.

Emmett Roach left this morning for Houston, Texas, where he will remain two or three weeks in an army hospital and take treatment for injuries received in service overseas during the war.

"Is our government sound?" asks a contemporary. Yes, mostly, we should say.—The Passing Show (London).

**Cigarette**

To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.

It's Toasted

Let a News Want Ad Get it.

A MEMBER

Good Road Motor Club.

One cent on the sale of each gallon of gas goes to help build good roads.

Motorist: When buying gas be sure that this sign is hanging on the station.

Good Road Motor Club

Mustang Played A Big Role in State's Pioneer History

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, August 29.—Numerous tales of the development of Oklahoma and New Mexico during the past forty years gleaned from the pioneers who lived the adventures of the early days were brought to Oklahoma City and related today by H. H. Schutz, personal representative of the secretary of agriculture, who just returned from a month's investigation of pink boll worm conditions in Mexico.

The report of boll worm conditions is to be made privately to the secretary, Schutz said. He is statistician of the federal Bureau of Markets and crop estimates for Oklahoma.

One of the most personal of the semi-historic stories told by Schutz today was obtained from W. H. ("Wild Horse") Brown at Clovis, New Mexico. Brown, now 60 years old, told his experiences in capturing wild horses in the Panhandle of Oklahoma and Texas, 40 years ago, which gave him the title he still bears. He also was awarded by traders of Kansas, the title of "the man who captured more wild horses than any other."

"After a few years on the range in Wyoming," Wild Horse said, "myself and two pals, heard of the numerous herds of mustangs in Oklahoma, and decided that rounding them up was not much more of a job than rounding up cattle, so we departed for the Panhandle."

There, according to his story, Wild Horse and his companions found many herds of wild horses and became acquainted with their ways and characteristics.

In chasing them down for the roundup, they encountered their

first difficulty, he told Schutz. The horses could not be turned so easily as the cattle, but ran in a straight line, outdistancing the pintos of the men. The wild horses, he said, grazed in lots of from 50 to 180, one herd of 187, which was driven to Dodge City for sale, being the largest the three ever rounded up.

After a day's chase, the men developed a scheme of offense to effect the capture of their first herd. They decided to spread surrounding the horses in triangular formation, and start "them horses milling around."

When early morning came, one rider made a "break" and came charging into view. The horses, wary, but seemingly not frightened, started in the opposite direction, only to find another horseman approaching from that direction also, swinging his lariat.

Herd Is Milling

In this way the herd was finally started to circling or "milling" around, as the cowboy termed it. After keeping the horses moving in the circle for eight to ten hours, until nightfall, the ground was tramped hard, and the vegetation trampled lifeless.

When the round was eased up, Wild Horse said, the horses never cared to stray far, as their bed was made, and the grasses on the edge of the circle provided food, for which they were starving.

After a period of from three to five days, during which the herd would become hungry and too busy to attempt to gain the nearby grazing grounds close by, to attempt to run away, the cowboys gradually would make themselves known.

By this time it was decided the herd was in condition for driving.

Drive them they did, for weeks at a time, until Fort Dodge was reached—then the principal Kansas horse market.

Here the first herd was sold, at an average of \$30 per head, and the industry peculiar to the plains started.

The mustangs, according to Wild Horse's description, was a dark mahogany brown in color, with a forelock which reached to the knees and a tail which swept he ground. His mane, very fine in texture, reached below his knees, "Wild Horse said.

King of the Prairie

"No wonder he was prized by the cattle man," the former ranger said, "he was the most graceful creature ever created, and no matter how fast nor far he ran, I never saw him lose his head, nor I never saw a herd of wild mustangs stampeded."

The skull of the mustang is thick according to Wild Horse Brown, who says it is his belief that the wild horse is no relation to the Indian pony, as has been claimed by some plainsmen.

"I believe the Indian pony is a descendant of the Spanish horses," Wild Horse said, "the characteristics are so similar, and so dissimilar from those of the mustangs."

W. H. Brown and his companions plied their trade in the panhandle for about fifteen years, he said, and then they split up.

Brown then became a horsetrader and conducted a ranch until a few years ago, when he moved to Clovis, New Mexico. He is proprietor of a hotel there now, but "I have a hankering for the prairie," he says.

pend to a great extent upon books for wholesome amusement, in the opinion of Mrs. J. R. Dale, secretary of the state's traveling library service.

"More than ever so many entered the government's vocational schools, and are continuing study of the new line of work through scientific books furnished by the commission," said Mrs. Dale. "Vocational subjects most frequently asked for are 'Electrical Apparatus,' 'Aviation,' 'Automobile and Motor Repairing,' 'Wireless Telegraphy' and 'Breeding and Judging of Livestock.'"

As soon as permanent club rooms are provided, the establishing of a library is the next step. Shipments of 150 to 200 books are sent, usually by freight, and the posts are allowed to keep the books six months. At the end of the period the community library is renewed, or exchanged for another.

Oklahoma by reason of her having a library commission, received 8000 volumes as her share of the American Library Association's war service libraries. It is from this collection that the Community libraries are established. Occasionally, a Red Cross chapter, the Y. M. C. A. or Boy Scouts combine with a post in applying for a Community library.

The 15 Legion posts having community libraries are: Eufaula, Seminole, Delaware, Chandler, Maud, Antlers, Hugo, Lamont, Knowles, Britton, Perkins, Hartshorne, Sentinel, Pawnee and Mangum.

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N. B. STALL OPENS NEW GARAGE ON MAIN

N. B. Stall has leased half of the building on East Main street now occupied entirely by Colbert Boss, and is opening up the AAA Garage. E. W. Young, who comes with a long period of accomplishment behind him, will have charge of the garage. Mr. Stall will not be active in the management, as he will continue his studio work. Mr. Stall is taking to this new

garage some well known mechanics. In addition to repairing and storing cars, he will sell the Paige automobiles.

LEGION POSTS DESIRE TRAVELING LIBRARIES

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 29.—In addition to the hundreds of books sent out each week to ex-service men in all parts of the state, around 3000 volumes are now on the shelves of 15 Legion post libraries located in as many different counties.

These figures have just been made public by the Oklahoma Library Commission, and clearly show that the men who read for recreation while in the service still de-

THEATER McSWAIN THEATER

THE PLAYHOUSE OF CHARACTER

PRESENTING TODAY

ROSCOE (Fatty) ARBUCKLE

—IN—

"Brewster's Millions"

A Paramount Picture

He had to squander a million in a year. Easy, try it sometimes. Mean while come and see Fatty try it. A whale of a star in a whale of a picture.

From the Novel by GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

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Coat Suits

DISTINGUISHED

By Their Richness of Fabric

Suit coats follow the downward trend of skirts almost to a three-quarter length. Collars may reach the tips of the ears in Cossack Fashion. Some of the collars are quite large and are often worn either open at the neck or fastened high around the face. There are also scarf collars that are made with long ends that may be wrapped around the throat and draped across the shoulder.

Variation of Colors and Trimmings Allowed.

Navy Blue is the leader with some favor shown to black. There are also some grays and several browns. Fur is used quite a bit for trimming as well as embroidery on the more plain tailored types.

MATERIALS

For the plain tailored types Tricotine both in blue and black are remaining very popular, albeit, there are some very fancy suits of these materials. Poirer Twill, one of the better cloths that bids for a foremost place in the season, also promises to fare well among the better dressers. There are many other new fabrics, the leading ones being Velours de laine, Veldyne and Muessyne.

A More Variation in Scale of Prices Allowed

Ranging in easy steps from

\$24.50 to \$75

Shaw's

DEPARTMENT STORE

S.M. SHAW, PROP.

PHONE 77 ADA, OKLA.

LONE KLAN HORSEMAN APPEARS IN ADA

MASONS HOLD KEY TO CITY TUESDAY

County Lodge Men to Make City Their Mecca for Celebration.

At least 1000 Masons and their families and friends, representing practically every lodge in Pontotoc county as well as several from surrounding counties are expected to make Ada their mecca tomorrow for the celebration of Ada Masonic Day, programs for which were issued this afternoon.

Beginning Tuesday morning with the arrival of the first visitor, the city will be thrown open to visiting lodges who will be guests of Ada Lodge No. 119 A. F. & A. M. and the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star which will hold its annual Robert Morris celebration in connection with the Masonic picnic. Grand Officers of both the Masonic lodge and the O. E. S. will spend the day in Ada and will speak at programs to be given by the two orders.

Registration of Masons will be opened at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Hensler and Smith drug store where badges will be issued to Masons and their families as free tickets to all events of the day. At 2 p. m. a free matinee will start at the McSwain theater and at the same time visiting sports fans will be given a chance to see a baseball game between Ada and Asher at the Fair Grounds park.

A band concert by the Ada High school band will start at Glenwood park at 4:30 and at 5:30 the Ada chapter O. E. S. will present its Robert Morris Anniversary program at the park. The program follows:

Musie—Ada high school orchestra. Reading, "A Toast to the Gods"—Ruth Gibson.

Solo—"Star of Bethlehem"—Mrs. Tom Granger.

Life of Robert Morris—Mrs. S. P. Ross.

Musie—Ada high school orchestra. Address—Mrs. Sarah A. Morris, Grand Matron.

Silver offering for Masonic Orphans' home.

A barbecue supper for the benefit of all Masons and their families will be staged at the park at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening and an hour later a band concert by the Ada high school band will start. At 7:30 the Masonic Service program, at which Grand Master J. H. Patterson will preside, will open. Addresses will be given by Grand Secretary William M. Anderson and Past Grand Masters William H. Freeman and Frank Derr.

Free parking for cars will be offered on the north side of Glenwood park. Visitors should get car checking tags from the guard at the parking place. The Glenwood park swimming pool will be open free to Masons, their families and friends and free transportation will be given to the ball game.

MATTLAND'S BODY FOUND IN WRECKAGE OF ZII-2

(By the Associated Press.)

HULL, Eng., Aug. 29.—The body of Commodore E. M. Matland of the British flying force who lost his life in the disaster of the ZII-2 last week was recovered from the wreck late this afternoon.

PUGSLEY NEW ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

(By the Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Charles W. Pugsley of Nebraska has been selected by President Harding and appointed assistant secretary of agriculture to succeed Dr. L. B. Ball, whose resignation, effective October 1, was announced today at the White House.

HUNGARY EXPECTED TO SIGN TREATY TODAY

BUDAPEST, Aug. 29.—The treaty of peace between Hungary and the United States will be signed at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

MAYOR KITCHENS ASKS CITIZENS' CO-OPERATION

TO THE CITIZENS OF ADA:

Tomorrow we expect to have not fewer than one thousand Master Masons, their wives and friends, in our city. The program calls for an extended entertainment from 1 o'clock on. I take this method of asking every one to do all in his power to make the stay of the visiting brothers pleasant.

The city park will be used most of the time after 4 o'clock, particularly the bathing pool. I should like for all citizens to forego the pleasure of swimming while the guests are here, permitting them to have the best opportunity possible to swim in the purest water in Oklahoma.

I would also like to see the stores and other places of business fittingly decorated for this occasion. It is seldom we have an opportunity of entertaining as many, and as gallant a body of men as we shall have with us tomorrow. Let's make them want to come back.—Gary Kitchens, Mayor.

BONDSMEN TAKE MRS. STUBBS TO HER NEW TRIAL

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 29.—Mrs. Helen Stubbs, alias Maud Moore, who was convicted of the murder of LeRoy Harth, Knoxville, Tenn., automobile dealer, and who escaped while under bond only to be found here after two years of liberty, is scheduled to return to Knoxville early today.

Having waived extradition proceedings, she will face retrial which she had been granted at the time she disappeared.

Robert Boring and Edward McNew, both well known business men who furnished the \$10,000 bond stood to lose that amount had not Mrs. Stubbs been located before September 1, will form her guard.

ARGUMENTS OPEN IN POTEAU CASE

Attorneys in Dismuke's Murder Hearing Start Speeches.

(By the Associated Press.)

POTEAU, Aug. 29.—Arguments were to begin here today in the case of Paul Dismuke, on trial for killing his son-in-law, Orpheus Varner, attorney and overseas veteran and commander of the local American Legion post, who was shot to death on December 25 at Dismuke's home. Each side has been allotted four hours by Judge Harvey Mellon of Enid, Okla., to present its case to the jury. For the prosecution will be J. Babb, assistant county attorney, Mr. Neal of Poteau and J. H. Brown, former district judge. Those representing the defense are Frank Williams, brother of the United States Judge of Eastern Oklahoma, Tom Lunsford of Poteau and S. Morton Rutherford of Muskogee.

MRS. OBENCHAIN ENTERS PLEA TODAY

Not Guilty is Expected to be Word From Two Held for Murder.

(By the Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Madelyn Oberchain and Charles Barch, jointly indicted for the murder of Belton Kennedy on August 5 last, are scheduled to appear before Judge Reeves in the supreme court this morning to enter their pleas. It will be the third time the two have appeared before the judge having been granted postponement on an order obtained by the counsel of Mrs. Oberchain, in the person of Paul Schenck, who returned to this city yesterday afternoon from Flagstaff, Ariz., where he has been engaged in trying a case.

It is expected that both will enter a plea of not guilty.

Mr. Schenck was in conference with the prisoners on his arrival here. It was forecasted yesterday that the court probably would set the trial for the middle of October.

"Not Guilty" is Plea.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29.—Plea of "not guilty" were entered in the superior court here today by Mrs. Madelyn Oberchain and Arthur C. Barch, jointly indicted on a charge of having murdered J. Belton Kennedy. The trial was set for November 1.

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AUGUST HEAT IS PARCHING STATE

Scattered Showers Relieving Heat in Some Sections.

(By the Associated Press.)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 29.—Weather of the past week has been extremely hot with practically no precipitation reported from any parts of the state. In a few localities widely scattered showers have fallen but were not heavy enough to be of any real benefit to the growing crops. According to information from the Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture, temperatures have ranged from four to eight degrees higher throughout the state than the average for this date. The drought remains unbroken in the southwestern counties and crops in this section have suffered greater losses from lack of moisture than in the other parts, however, all sections report the need of rains at this date and show that the crops over the entire state have deteriorated considerably from the continuing hot dry weather.

The southern, southeastern and eastern counties report corn in fair to good condition and indicate that, to date, the crop has not suffered materially from the dry hot period of the week just closing. The counties in the parts just mentioned are some of the heaviest corn producing counties of the state. Other parts show that the crop has been cut short from a small percentage in the central and northeastern counties where the rainfall has been lighter. The drier parts of the state report the crop firing on the uplands. Generally the crop is in need of moisture.

The dry hot weather has not checked the boll weevil damage to the extent expected. Cotton continues to deteriorate from this cause and is being damaged by the extremely hot weather of the past week. Information reaching this office indicated that some fields in the extreme southern counties are total failures, while in other parts the farmers estimate yields of from 10 per cent to 50 percent of normal. The western and northern counties of the cotton belt continue to report the best condition of this year's production. The estimate of July 25th indicated that the crop would make 40 per cent of last year's production, which was 1,336,000 bales of 500 pounds each.

Bloom Corn Market Slow.

The bloom corn market remains backward in the Lindsay district, however, the sales during the past week showed an increase over the week before. Prices ranged from 40.00 to 50.00 dollars per ton for shrunken and damaged corn; \$70.00 to \$85.00 for the bulk of the offerings, with the best crops bringing \$90.00 to \$100.00.

The northwestern counties have made a more marked advancement with their plowing for wheat than the other parts of the state. In this section moisture conditions have been better and the farmer has made good progress. In northern, northeastern, western and southwestern counties have been held up in this work, especially in the western and southwestern counties where the ground is very hard and dry.

Pastures throughout the state are very much in need of rain and are reported as drying up fast. Livestock are still reported in good condition, however, the number on hand at this time compared with a year ago shows a marked decrease. Feeder hogs are scarce and bringing high prices. Stock water is getting low in the drier parts of the state.

Grain sorghums and late feed crops are in fair condition but needing rain. Garden and truck patches are in need of immediate relief from the hot dry weather.

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Building Permits Go to \$70,000 Total in Single Month in Ada

Two more building permits were issued Saturday and Monday which brings the total issued for this month to over \$70,000. Gas and fire inspection of several houses has been made in the past few days and the new owners are making preparations to move into the homes now ready for them.

Those securing the permits were Prof. D. T. Bradshaw and L. E. Byrd. Mr. Bradshaw's home is located in Dags addition and will cost \$2500. Most of the work has been completed. Mr. Byrd's home will cost \$2750 and will be located on South Johnson avenue.

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EMPLOYMENT IS DECLINING NOW REPORT STATES

(By the Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 29.—A decrease of 26.8 percent in employment accompanied by a decrease of 23.5 percent in the pay roll between July 1, 1920, and July 1, 1921, in the eighth district is shown by figures presented in the month's report of the federal reserve bank of St. Louis, issued today by W. C. Martin, chairman of the board.

The report shows improved conditions for the wholesalers while retailers report a decrease in the volume of business expected. Business has been generally quiet except on tobacco and cigars. Sales of these for January and early August were exceptionally heavy.

ACCIDENT CAUSED ADA MAN'S DEATH

Jury Decides Mont McKoy Died as Result of Fall on Pick.

That Mont McKoy, who was killed instantly at about 8 o'clock Sunday morning at the West End hotel when he fell upon an ice pick, came to his death accidentally was the verdict rendered Monday by a coroner's jury presided over by Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown.

The funeral was held Monday morning at 11:30 at the home of the dead man's sister, Mrs. E. H. McKindree, 215 East Seventeenth street. Burial was in Rosedale cemetery.

McKoy, according to testimony given before the jury this morning, was going down stairs at the hotel early Sunday with an ice pick in his hand. He fell and the pick pierced his breast, death coming almost immediately. The dead man had lived in Ada for about 15 years and has a number of relatives here and in Texas to mourn his death. Three brothers, John, George and Zeb who live at Stone-wall, were in Ada today for the funeral. Other immediate relatives living are W. H. McCoy, a brother of Rockwall, Texas; Mrs. Broadfoot, of Longview, Texas, a sister, and Mrs. E. H. McKindree of this city.

Members of the coroner's jury, besides Justice Brown, acting coroner, who returned the verdict of accidental death are R. L. Hays, George West, Lee Hargis, J. W. Horn and F. W. Anderson.

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GASOLINE MEN TO BOOST ROAD CLUB

Committee Reports Good Spirit Among Dealers of City.

A report in which it is set forth that an investigation has revealed the fact that Ada retailers of gasoline are lined up good and strong in their co-operation with the Good Roads Motor club with respect to collecting one cent a gallon on all gasoline sold for the benefit of good roads in the county was submitted this morning to N. B. Stall, president of the club, by a committee appointed last week.

Following is the report, made by R. E. Haynes, Gary Kitchens, Robert Wimblish, J. D. Laasater, and Orville Sneed:

"We, your committee appointed Thursday evening with the view of calling on all retailers of gasoline and filling stations for the purpose of soliciting their co-operation toward the Good Roads Motor club, with respect to collecting one cent per gallon on all gasoline sold by them in order that the same may be paid over to the club, beg to advise that your committee made visits yesterday afternoon to all the stations, except where we had previously been informed and assured that they were lined up good and strong. If anyone was overlooked it was unintentional on our part.

"We started out feeling confident that all would gladly line up when so much real good can be accomplished through this medium. Not once were refused; all were glad to have a part in the undertaking.

Did Not Dictate

"It was not our purpose to establish a price for gasoline, or to dictate any policy they should pursue.

"We were pleased to learn from our visits that any little light (mostly misunderstanding) that may have previously existed has been ironed out and, apparently, all is now harmonious.

If any car owner will only reflect a moment, he will realize that these filling station men are most accommodating. You get full measure of gas and oil; they fill your radiator with clean water, see that you have plenty of air and extend many other courtesies which oftentimes we may neglect to thank them for.

"Now that these good people at all filling stations have so heartily lined up in this proposition, it behooves every citizen in Pontotoc County to place your membership, if possible, and support with the Good Roads Motor club and unitedly pull for the next best highway thru this county; one that will run east and west.

"If any individual will take the time to call on any one of the officers of the Good Roads Motor club and ask him just what is being done and what has been accomplished through the organization, every one will marvel. Then he will be in position and ready to refute any unkind criticisms that may be made by those who are not informed.

WOMAN IS APPOINTED ASST. ATTORNEY GENERAL

(By the Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Appointment of Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt of Los Angeles to be assistant United States Attorney General was announced today at the White House.

ONE DRUNK CHARGE IS ONLY POLICE BUSINESS

A lone drunk charge constituted the business at police headquarters for the week-end. Calvin Fields plead guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was fined \$8.75. On default of the payment of his fine Fields was placed in jail.

SMALL DAMAGE COMES FROM FIRE SATURDAY

Practically no damage and a great deal of excitement was caused by a fire which broke out near the chimney in the rear of the American Cafe Saturday night. The fire trucks were called out and the fire extinguished before any damage could be done.

Both theaters on this block were practically emptied when it was learned that the fire signal had been given. Excitement prevailed for a short time.

GIANT MARINE PLANE IS DOCKED AT PEORIA

(By the Associated Press.)

PEORIA, Aug. 29.—The aero marine plane, Maria, said to be the largest flying boat in America, was docked here today after making a record flight from Chicago late yesterday afternoon. The plane will remain here for several days and will take passengers from Memphis and New Orleans.

DEAD MAN MAY BE HIJACKER KILLED ON SAPULPA ROAD

(By the Associated Press.)

SAPULPA, Aug. 29.—County officials are seeking to identify the body of a man which was found in an abandoned car on the Tulsa-Sapulpa road about 10:30 last night. Officials think he is the highwayman shot by Arch Grider of Tulsa, when three bandits attempted to hold him up at a bridge on the Drumright-Sapulpa road about an hour earlier.

Grider, who is an oil man, continued on his way to Drumright after the body of the bandit had fallen and the others had hurried off. He notified Sapulpa authorities of the occurrence.

7000 REBELS ARE KILLED IN INDIA

Seventy British Soldiers Lose Lives in Fight With Natives.

(By the Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, India, August 29.—Nearly 7000 members of the insurgent band which has been creating disorder in the districts south and southeast of this city have been killed in a fight with British forces. Eight of the British have been killed and 70 men of the Leinster regulars and 17 of the native police are missing. Many Hindu and India troops are being brought southward to quell the uprising.

British troops, including cavalry arrived here Sunday and proceeded to the disturbed quarters.

Refugees who have arrived here from the Ernad and other districts relate pitiful tales of torture and looting. It appears that the rebels have deserted Tanur and other places and taken to the hills.

RAIL SPLIT WILL BE SMOOTHED OUT

Union Officials Assert the Trainmen Withdrew on Being "Drafted."

(By the Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—An apparent break in the harmony that has been existing between the four big brotherhoods and the switchmen's union of North America in connection with the mailing out of ballots to members was minimized today by union officials.

Joint ballots were mailed to 650,000 railway workers yesterday and today. But the ballots of the brotherhood of railway trainmen, comprising a total of 150,000 went on a separate sheet.

The trainmen withdrew because, their officials explained, they were drafted by the four organizations and "did not in our opinion contain impartial and unprejudiced belief of all that is in issue, nor did they convey the assurance that the wish of the men is against the workmen's reduced wages, would determine the question and that they would be permitted to leave."

AMERICAN OIL OFFICIALS TO CONFER WITH MEXICO

(By the Associated Press.)

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 29.—The head of five American petroleum companies who are to confer with Mexican officials regarding the American oil situation arrived in Mexico City this morning.

Walter C. Teagle, head of the Midland Oil company of New Jersey and leader of the oil delegation, told the Associated Press that he had nothing to say at present regarding the trip to Mexico.

It is possible that the first meeting will be held this afternoon.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Forecast for the period August 29, 1921, to September 3, 1921, inclusive. West Gulf States: Considerable cloudiness, normal temperature, and scattered local rains are indicated. The pressure is low over the West Indies but there are no positive indications of disturbance.

Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri Valleys: Generally fair weather and normal temperature.

Southern Rocky Mountain and Plateau Region: Generally fair weather and normal temperature.

SILENT FIGURE IS VIEWED BY MANY

Robed Figure Believed to Represent Organization of Ku Klux Here.

Knights of the Ku Klux Klan have appeared in Ada. Now, after more than 50 years, the flare of the symbolic fiery cross of reconstruction days in the Old South may be reflected from the hillside of Pontotoc county as mysterious Klansmen of the "Invisible Empire" ride forth to perform their mission.

At least five decades of national history have been rolled back and the Ku Klux Klan is in the saddle.

First indications that an organization of the old southern organization exists in Ada came Saturday night when a lone Klansman, dressed in the legendary garb of the original order, rode quietly down Main street about 9 o'clock, unescorted, and disappeared in the darkness near the Katy depot. Saturday night crowds surged to the edge of the sidewalk and looked on in breathless awe as the solitary horseman occupied the center of attention for only a few minutes. Noise caused along main streets and even automobiles which a few minutes before had filled the main thoroughfare withdrew to a respectful distance to let the rider pass.

Made Little Sound

Without causing a sound, except that which the feet of his horse made as they struck the pavement in slow, measured beats, the Klansman passed peacefully down the street and was swallowed up in the gloom. Signs which were attached to the white robes that enshrouded the horse said "America for Americans", "For Law and Order", "We Are 1000 Strong in This County", and "White Men Stay Away From Dark Town". Each sign was painted in brilliant red on white canvas and bore the signature "K. K. K."

Both the Klansman and his horse wore spotless robes of white with holes cut for the eyes of the rider and his mount. The quiet, unassuming rider was first noticed coming west on East Main street and was last seen when he turned south on the Katy tracks.

The rider sat erect in his saddle, not once turning his head to observe the crowds that looked on. There was apparently an air of confidence in his attitude which was taken as an intimation that dozens of other Klansmen, in citizens' clothes, were mingling with the throng along the street.

Was Met By Rondster

Boys who followed the rider to the Katy right-of-way said he gave spur to his mount and sped away in the darkness heading south. At the Fourteenth street crossing, they said, he was met by a high-powered roadster which dashed away with the rider. Other men, it is reported, took charge of the horse and disappeared almost instantly.

Speculation was rife in the city Sunday and Monday as to the meaning and import of the silent Klansman's appearance. Whether or not he represents a regular organization that has been in existence here for some time or whether his appearance was meant to serve as an announcement of the recent formation of a chapter of the Ku Klux Klan is not known.

Exactly a week before, at almost the same hour of the night, a similar white-robed specter rode quietly through the business district at Roff.

TWO MEN LODGED IN COUNTY JAIL SUNDAY

Jack A. Hart was brought Sunday afternoon from Oklahoma City by members of the Pontotoc county sheriff's force and placed in the county jail on a bad check charge.

J. C. Foster, farmer of near Ada, was arrested Sunday on a liquor charge. Foster made bond in both federal and county court recently in connection with liquor charges filed after the raid on a still near here.

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CONDITIONS IMPROVING

The Monthly Review of business conditions by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City gives encouraging news in reference to the immediate outlook for business. This bank notices that things have already assumed an upward turn. The statement says:

"Easement of the financial situation in this District is working improvement to the situation in general. Money from heavy marketing of farm products is showing up in further liquidation of loans, and bank deposits are increasing. The banks at market centers and also many of the country banks are carrying a large volume of bills covering wheat and flour shipments and are handling the situation admirably.

"Effective August 1, 1921, the application of the progressive discount rate was suspended by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. The progressive rate was adopted in April, 1920, under provisions of an amendment to the Federal Reserve Act, as an emergency measure. After about fourteen months of its operation general conditions had so manifestly improved that it was felt it might be safely suspended at this time."

The one crop which will show a slump in production is cotton, such a slump probably being the best thing for the industry. J. W. Jay & Co., well known cotton commission merchants of New York, estimate the production of the United States for 1921 at 7,470,000 bales plus 260,000 linters, or a total yield of all less than 8,000,000 bales, against more than 13,000,000 for 1920.

The yield of cotton, however, does not mean that the South will get less for it than a big crop would have brought. The carry over from the 1920 crop on July 1, the end of the cotton year, was approximately 9,000,000 bales. When we add to this the production for this year we get a total of only 16,000,000 bales. A fair estimate of the consumption by American and European mills for the next twelve months will be 12,000,000, leaving only a 4,000,000 carry over next July. This is hardly enough to keep the stocks of the mills up to normal between July 1 and the time the 1921 crop will be on the market.

That the price of cotton should continue to go up, therefore, does not seem unlikely. One thing is certain and that is the supply of cotton is getting back near the demand. This means that growing cotton is to be on a more substantial basis after this year than it has been since the war closed.

How does all this apply locally? As we see it, there will be some money in growing cotton for the next few years, if due caution is taken not to plant too large acreage, and locally to take means to control the ravages of the boll weevil. Many methods of control have been tried here and there, and some of them have been very efficacious. It is likely that by using some of these methods, the weevil can be kept down.

Business is getting on a sound basis again, that much is certain. Money is getting easier, farm products are moving, and cattle and hogs are about to become profitable. If in addition to the generally improved conditions, Pontotoc County can get a creamery or milk reducing plant and a few thousand dairy cows to working, this county will be on a sounder basis than it has ever been.

KNOCKERS

The Maud knockers are not often seen fixing up their own places and making them look just as attractive as possible.—Maud Monitor.

Of course not. In the first place it would mean work with the hands instead of the jaw and the knocker usually detests real work above all things. Knocking with a hammer in improving a place has no attraction for the man accustomed only to use his tongue. Besides his mission is to tear down, not build anything up. Any mention of work always gives these fellows an attack of cramp colic.

In these days of numerous schools we have no patience with the boy who with no one but himself to support does not dig out an education. The way may be long and the obstacles not serious, but too many have demonstrated that it can be done for any doubt to exist. In the hustling and struggle necessary to succeed in this undertaking any boy will form steady habits of industry that will prove his making when he enters upon life's work, no matter what the sphere may be. Laziness, both mental and physical, is the besetting fault of the human race and mankind has advanced as it overcame this handicap. Will power is the greatest thing in the universe and this is something that can be cultured and strengthened.

The New York girl who offers to rent out her husband for the modest sum of \$5,000 per year no doubt places too high a valuation on him. She admits he is not making a living now, as he is spending most of his time writing poetry, extolling the beauty and talents of his bride, but she thinks he ought to bring the sum named on the open market. No doubt some women have husbands they would pay a handsome bonus to have taken off their hands.

"THE LIGHT THAT FAILED!"

THE SAME OLD STORY—AND STILL THEY FALL FOR IT!



"VAMPS" WHO MADE HISTORY

By JAMES C. YOUNG.

(By McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

THE VAMPIRE WHO WON MILLIONS.

SHE was a woman beloved by two kings. She sold the secrets of each to the other, and made millions in the process.

Louis XIV first loved dainty Louise de la Querouaille. But the historians say that she proved unfaithful to her royal admirer. Louis did not let this prevent him from sending her to England in the train of a court lady bound there on a visit of state. And he told Louise to cultivate Charles II of England. Then she was to send him news of England's statecraft and to influence Charles so that he would make concessions which the French monarch wanted. For all of which Louise engaged to pay her handsomely.

Louise found the occupation such an easy one that she decided it would be just as simple to sell Charles news of Louis and his policies. So she received much gold from both kings, but it is said that she never informed Charles of anything more than trivial matters, remaining loyal to her own land.

This double traffic made Louise a very rich woman. But her ambition craved greater honors. She persuaded the English king to make her the duchess of Portsmouth, and as such she was thoroughly despised by the English people. In addition to dealing in secrets of state she wielded her influence at the two courts to obtain many political appointments, for which she was duly paid by the appointees. But Louise was not sufficiently wise to hold all of this money, for she became a devotee of the gambling tables and lost large amounts with a superb indifference. At home she induced Louis to give her a high position in the French court, telling Charles that her visits to Paris were for the purpose of obtaining information about the plans of Louis. Then Charles suddenly died, in 1685. His successor, James II, packed Louise off to France, bag and baggage. Much of her wealth had been dissipated. She found herself without an occupation, her English possessions lost, and only a scanty welcome at home. And in the course of a little while she disappeared from court, her purse penniless. Louis paid heed to her misfortunes and granted a small pension which served to sustain the arch spy and vampire for the remainder of her brief days.

Germs are plentiful in the summer air, we breathe them every minute. In health they do no harm, but to those who have a bad liver, disordered stomach or constipated bowels they mean a spell of sickness. The best way to insure your health is to take Prickly Ash Bitters. It purifies and strengthens the system. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by Gwin & Mays. (adv)

Do you have a lot for sale, a house, an automobile, a cow, horse or anything else that somebody else wants? The quickest, cheapest and most satisfactory way to dispose of this is by using a "for sale" ad in the Ada Evening News.

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THE DIVORCE COURTS

Daily Ardmoreite

J. B. Champion, who handles a great number of divorce cases, says that when he began to practice law a few years ago about sixty per cent of the divorce cases were filed by women and 40 per cent by men. Since the world war the same attorney says about 90 per cent of divorce cases are filed by women and the remaining 10 per cent by men. Mr. Champion says he could not feel justified in expressing his opinion just why so many cases are filed by women. It is possible that women are asserting themselves more than in former years or it may be that the absence of men abroad in the army resulted in the alienation of their affections. If the increase of suits filed by women is due to the latter cause, the matter will be healed when those particular cases are weeded out and the percentage may drop back to 60 and 40 as they were prior to the war.

Spare The Rod
Chickasha Star
The methods of the Oklahoma City parent who gave his sixteen-

year-old daughter a good spanking because she stayed out until 1 a. m. is worthy of emulation by other parents. If the spanking method was employed more vigorously there would be fewer inmates of the state industrial school for girls. The great trouble today is that parents are so taken up with their own affairs that they do not know where their children are spending their time. The state training school for boys at Pauls Valley has at least thirty boys not over twelve years of age. If the fathers or mothers of those boys had applied a razor strap with sufficient energy we do not believe those youngsters would be there today.

Immigration

Farm Life

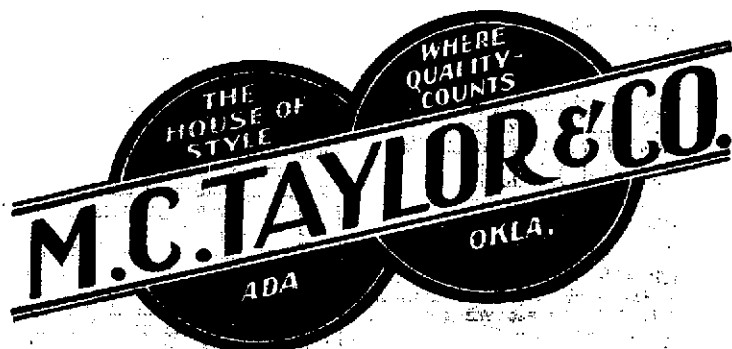
The ancient proverb that you can't eat your cake and have it, may be applicable to our present immigration policy. In Canada it is believed that our drastic laws curtailing immigration will divert the human stream to our neighbor on the north. Canada will welcome the immigrants. She is an agricultural country, and she will try to place them on farms. They will raise products to compete in the world markets with the goods produced by the American farmer. In this case we would not escape the competition of the emigrant, but we would lose the wealth which his labor would create. That there is a real danger of this very condition

S. L. McCLURE

M. C. TAYLOR

WELCOME MASONS

WE EXTEND you our hand in token of continued friendship and brotherly love and invite you to make our store your headquarters while in Ada.



The Store for Men and Boys.

is shown by the statement that vessels are being added to the Canadian steamship lines. It is reported also, that some American vessel which formerly ran between New York and Europe will in the future make Montreal their port. The canny Canuck also figures another point in his favor in this connection. He says that practically all immigrants have friends and relatives in the United States, and that these will be enticed across the line into Canada. Tariff and immigration laws do not seem so simple as they once did.

PREFERENCES.

Rusk News: Why a Southern gentleman will wear Japan silk instead of Southern cotton is one of the hardest things to understand. And why farmers will give mortgages on their cotton crops to buy silk clothes for their children is a problem too hard for the average man to solve. But mysteries do not stop there. These same people will wonder why there is not a greater demand for cotton and blame somebody because silk is so high and cotton so cheap.

Southern gentlemen sometimes prefer Japanese silk to Southern cotton for the same reason that some Southern gentlemen prefer French champagne to native mountain dew. Silk is more desirable for some purposes.

Good appetite, vigor and cheerful spirits follow the use of Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for working men. It purifies the stomach, liver and bowels, and makes work a pleasure. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by Gwin & Mays. (adv)

The Ada Weekly News is gradually becoming a real farmers' news paper, edited by Byron Norrell. It not only has a wide circulation, but an advertisement in it carries also the prestige of its reputation for truth and right dealing.

Phone 4 is the place to get service in job work or advertising.

FREE DEMONSTRATION!



With a Laun-Dry-Ette you can do your washing without putting your hands in the water and you will not be bothered with broken buttons, bent fasteners and all the other annoyances caused by the wringer, for the Laun-Dry-Ette way is the wringerless way.

Call in any time and look them over.

GAY ELECTRIC CO.
121 South Broadway

WELCOME A. F. & A. M. VISITORS

We Bid You a Hearty Welcome!

Make Yourself at Home In This Store

Our Service is your service, Its many conveniences are extended to you wholeheartedly, and cheerfully. If we are privileged to serve you, we shall do so eagerly and with the confidence that no more desirable stocks of merchandise, or more worthy values are obtainable.

We're here to help you get the most out of your visit. Command us for anything you want.

THE NEW AUTUMN MODES

In Suits, Frocks, Coats, Skirts and Blouses are ready for your inspection.

All purchases made by visitors will be sent express or parcel post prepaid. Don't bother carrying them—let us serve you.

ESTABLISHED 1903

SIMPSON'S

THE SURPRISE STORE

115-117 WEST MAIN ST.



"OVER THE BORDER" FOR FISH AND BIRDS AND BIG GAME

Have you ever stood in the stations at St. Paul or Minneapolis and watched the duck hunters returning from the northland, laden with spoils? Some proudly stagger under their trophies; others commandeer the station's electric trolley to haul their kill to the taxi line. It seems incredible that so many ducks ever existed, yet the kill is infinitesimal when compared to the vast flocks that inhabit the wilds of Ontario where they may be bagged from Sept. 1st to Dec. 15th.

Grouse, prairie fowl, partridge, pheasants, woodcock, plover, geese, brant, rails, yellow legs and other feather folk keep the ducks company and tempt the man with a gun. September in the Ontario wilds is a time of genuine delight. The days have a pleasant warmth, the nights are invigoratingly cool; one awakens refreshed and ready to attack the camp breakfast. The popularity of the Ontario hunting grounds north of Minnesota and Lake Superior, is attested by the annually increasing number of sportsmen who make it their goal. In the spring, fishermen stream

northward by every train leaving Chicago. Their numbers are augmented as the train progresses. They are headed for Lake-of-the-Woods and Nipigon and the maze of streams and lakes that cover the western part of the province. In the fall, the hunters follow wearing expressions of expectancy on the way up and of satisfaction on the return trip.

This district is not only a fish

and bird country, it is also a land of big game. Some of the finest moose heads are brought down hereabouts while deer are every big game hunter's portion. A large new camp, opened this season at Nipigon, fills a long felt need for more abundant accommodation at that point, and Bass Lake, a few miles distant by easy portage, offers many fine camping sites and exceptional fishing.

Mustang Played A Big Role in State's Pioneer History

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, August 29.—Numerous tales of the development of Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico during the past forty years gleaned from the pioneers who lived the adventures of the early days were brought to Oklahoma City and related today by H. H. Schutz, personal representative of the secretary of agriculture, who just returned from a month's investigation of pink boll worm conditions in Mexico.

The report of boll worm conditions is to be made privately to the secretary, Schutz said. He is statistician of the federal Bureau of Markets and crop estimates for Oklahoma.

One of the most personal of the semi-historic stories told by Schutz today was obtained from W. H. "Wild Horse" Brown at Clovis, New Mexico. Brown, now 60 years old, told his experiences in capturing wild horses in the Panhandle of Oklahoma and Texas, 40 years ago, which gave him the title he still bears. He also was awarded by traders of Kansas, the title of "the man who captured more wild horses than any other."

"After a few years on the range in Wyoming," Wild Horse said, "myself and two pals, heard of the numerous herds of mustangs in Oklahoma, and decided that rounding them up was not much more of a job than rounding up cattle, so we departed for the Panhandle."

There, according to his story, Wild Horse and his companions found many herds of wild horses and became acquainted with their ways and characteristics.

In chasing them down for the roundup, they encountered their

first difficulty, he told Schutz. The horses could not be turned so easily as the cattle, but ran in a straight line, outdistancing the pinos of the men. The wild horses, he said, grazed in lots of from 50 to 150, one herd of 157, which was driven to Dodge City for sale, being the largest the three ever rounded up.

After a day's chase, the men developed a scheme of offense to effect the capture of their first herd. They decided to spread surrounding the horses in triangular formation, and start them milling around.

When early morning came, one rider made a "break" and came charging into view. The horses, wary, but seemingly not frightened, started in the opposite direction, only to find another horseman approaching from the direction also, swinging his lariat.

Herd is milling. In this way the herd was finally started to circling or "milling" around, as the cowboy termed it. After keeping the horses moving in the circle for eight to ten hours, until nightfall, the ground was tramped hard, and the vegetation trampled lifeless.

When the round was eased up, Wild Horse said, the horses never cared to stray far, as their bed was made, and the grasses on the edge of the circle provided food, for which they were starving.

After a period of from three to five days, during which the herd would become hungry and too busy to attempt to gain the nearby grazing grounds close by, an attempt to run away, the cowboys gradually would make themselves known.

By this time it was decided the herd was in condition for driving.

N. B. STALL OPENS NEW GARAGE ON MAIN

N. B. Stall has leased half of the building on East Main street now occupied entirely by Colbert Boss, and is opening up the AAA Garage. B. W. Young, who comes with a long period of accomplishment behind him, will have charge of the garage. Mr. Stall will not be active in the management, as he will continue his studio work.

Mr. Stall is taking to this new

garage some well known mechanics. In addition to repairing and storing cars, he will sell the Paige automobiles.

LEGION POSTS DESIRE TRAVELING LIBRARIES

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 29.—In addition to the hundreds of books sent out each week to ex-servicemen in all parts of the state, around 3,000 volumes are now on the shelves of 15 Legion post libraries located in as many different counties.

These figures have just been made public by the Oklahoma Library Commission, and clearly show that the men who read for recreation while in the service still de-

pend to a great extent upon books for wholesome amusement, in the opinion of Mrs. J. K. Dale, secretary of the state's traveling library service.

"More than ever so many entered the government's vocational schools, and are continuing study of the new line of work through scientific books furnished by the commission," said Mrs. Dale. "Vocational subjects most frequently asked for are 'Electrical Apparatus,' 'Aviation,' 'Automobile and Motor Repairing,' 'Wireless Telegraphy' and 'Breeding and Judging of Livestock.'"

As soon as permanent club rooms are provided, the establishing of a library is the next step. Shipments of 150 to 200 books are sent, usually by freight, and the posts are allowed to keep the books six months. At the end of the period the community library is renewed, or exchanged for another.

Okla. by reason of her having a library commission, received 80,000 volumes as her share of the American Library Association's war service libraries. It is from this collection that the Community libraries are established. Occasionally, a Red Cross chapter, the Y. M. C. A. or Boy Scouts combine with a post in applying for a Community library.

The 15 Legion posts having community libraries are: Eufaula, Seminole, Delaware, Chandler, Maud, Antlers, Hugo, Lamont, Knowles, Britton, Perkins, Harshaw, Sentinel, Pawnee and Mangum.

Stammering Can Be Cured

Professor J. W. Shepherd will take a limited number of stammerers into his home for treatment and cure. For information write Professor J. W. Shepherd, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla. 8-17-1 mo.

Notice.

Winona Mills Salesman will be in town for the next few days. Phone 217. 8-29-31*

WONDERFUL GAIN IN WEIGHT REPORT

"Before I began taking Tanlac I only weighed 76 pounds, I now weigh over 100 and am gaining every day," said Miss LaRue Davis, of Chattanooga, Tennessee.

"I bought my first bottle of Tanlac at Gas City, Ind., and it helped me so much that I continued using it. I have always been very delicate and suffered a great deal from stomach trouble and rheumatism. I rarely ever had any appetite and simply could not relish anything. I fell off until I only weighed 76 pounds and was so thin I looked perfectly awful. This is the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac.

"Oh, I feel so different now. Even my complexion is improved. My appetite is good and I can hardly get enough to eat. Tanlac is simply grand and I can truthfully say that it is the only medicine that has ever done me any good."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by M. A. Waits and by leading druggists everywhere.

City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Sadler Grocery, Phone 501. 1m

Let a News Want Ad Get It.

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-tf

Mrs. Grace Edstall was here today from Konawa shopping.

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-tf

It's cash, but cheaper at Wait's Drug store. 3-31-tf

Sheriff Bob Duncan made a business trip to Pauls Valley today.

Kit Carson guarantees to fix your battery troubles. Phone 124. 122 West 12th St. 8-7-23td

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, Proprietor. 8-5-tf

J. R. Cox of Roff was a business visitor in Ada today.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

We rebuild old shoes by the Goodyear system. Ada Electric Shoe Shop. 8-24-7t

Miss Thelma Harris of Sulphur was a business visitor in the city today.

Knott's Very Best Bread has no equal. 8c. 2 for 15c delivered. Phone 578. 8-29-2td

Dr. Keith, Dentist, open nights 7 to 9. Phone 1. Rollow Building. 6-1-1mo*

We make a specialty of silk shirts. Work done by hand. Ada Steam Laundry. 7-13-1 mo.

Miss Lella Early of Sulphur was in the city yesterday and today looking after business matters.

Old shoes made new by our Goodyear system. Ada Electric Shoe Shop. 8-24-7t

Knott's Bakery promptly delivers the Very Best Bread at 8c or 2 for 15c. 8-29-2td

A. W. Parker and O. A. Bayliss are building new bungalows on South Cherry avenue. Mr. Parker's residence is near completion.

Ready cash for farm and ranch loans. A. L. BOWLES & CO., ground floor Guaranty Bank building, Ada, Okla., phone 878-868. 8-29-tf

Re-charging and three day battery rental \$2.00. Phone 124.—Kit Carson Battery and Ignition Station 122 West 12th St. 8-7-23td

Mr. and Mrs. Erring left yesterday afternoon for Muskogee where they will spend a few days looking after business.

Hemstitching, dressmaking, pleating and buttoning made of your own material.—Ada Hemstitching Shop. 8-25-5t

Phone 40, the Unique Cleaning and Tailoring company. Particular presses for particular people. 105 North Broadway. 8-13-1 mo.

T. E. Brents, United States Prohibition enforcement officer, left today for Coalgate with a prisoner to attend U. S. Commissioner's court.

We have farm lands for city property. A. L. BOWLES & CO., ground floor Guaranty Bank building, Ada, Okla., phone 878-868. 8-20-tf

Mrs. A. K. Patten from Oklahoma City arrived in the city last night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brents and to assist her mother in moving into their new home on South Broadway.

Special through August and September. Hemstitching 10c per yd. All kinds of pleating done by Mrs. Geo. Harrison over Rollow Hardware Corner Main and Broadway. 8-2-1mo

Ed Brents, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brents of South Broadway, will leave Wednesday for Purcell where he has accepted a position for the coming year with the Purcell high school as athletic coach. Ed received his training while attending the East Central State Normal here.

McCurly Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-24-1mo

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, Proprietor. 8-5-tf

Neat McDonald of Stratford was able to return to his home yesterday afternoon after spending a few days in the local hospital for treatment.

Ladies you are invited to look at the new styles in suits, coats and dresses for fall.—Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

Our new fall slippers are here—come and look them over.—Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

James B. Stokes entered the local hospital yesterday for an operation on his foot. He will be able to leave this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

Just received a large shipment of dresses in silk crepe and satins. Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

T. E. Brents expects to move his family into the new home being built for them at Fourteenth and Broadway in about ten days. Practically all the work has been completed except the interior decoration.

Come and look over our prices in shoes and slippers.—Burk's Style Shop. 8-29-2t

Dr. Lewis Is Better

A report today on the condition of Dr. M. L. Lewis, has been serious all for several days, states that he is better and continues to improve, although he spent a restless night last night.

BEGGS—Only one justice of the peace is located here now, since the resignation of Tom Chisum, who has that he be called upon only in a change of venue. A. R. Juby is active justice of the peace.

Rates for Classified Ads

Rates for classified advertising in this department are 15c per word for each insertion when more than one insertion is made; a minimum charge of 25c for one insertion only when 17 words or less are used. Copy must be in the office by 9:00 a. m. to insure proper classification. All want or classified ads must be accompanied by cash—no advertising of this class will be accepted unless paid for in advance.

Leone Steed

Announces the opening of her Piano Studio September 12th, for the season of 1921-22.

For further information Telephone 43, or address 623 South Townsend ave.

Pupils May Enroll Now

IN SOCIETY**Pie Supper at Homer**

It was a gay crowd that loaded a truck and attended a pie supper given at the Homer school house last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McLaughlin chaperoned the party.

Pies were sold for the benefit of the township fair and school. All report an excellent time, more than 15 people attending from Ada.

Mrs. Emmett Irvin of Henryetta is in the city for a visit with friends.

Tom Price of Clarita is in Ada this week visiting relatives.

Ed Wendell and family have returned from Sulphur where they spent a few days last week vacationing.

Mrs. D. A. Fentem of Holdenville was in the city last week-end visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Saunders and family have returned from a week's stay at Medicine Park. They report a good time.

John Agnew, returned Sunday from Sulphur where he spent a week's vacation.

Emmett Roach left this morning for Houston, Texas, where he will remain two or three weeks in an army hospital and take treatment for injuries received in service overseas during the war.

"Is our government sound?" asks a contemporary. Yes, mostly, we should say.—The Passing Show (London).

AMERICAN TODAY**REX BEACH'S**

Famous Story

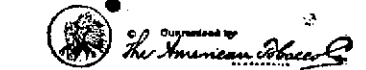
"THE NORTH WIND'S MALICE"

An inspiring story of Alaska during the Gold rush, produced under the personal supervision of Rex Beach, and played by a cast of well known performers including Tom Satchel, Vera Gargon, Joe King, and William H. Strauss.

10c—PRICES—25c

**Cigarette**

To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.

It's Toasted

Let a News Want Ad Get it.

A MEMBER
Good Road Motor Club.
One cent on the sale of each gallon of gas goes to help build good roads.

Motorist: When buying gas be sure that this sign is hanging on the station.

Good Road Motor Club

Highest Market Price Paid for Your Clean Cotton

RAGS

Bring your rags to the Ada News mechanical department. These rags are used for wiping up machinery and we can take your supply in almost any amount. We need them now.

Coat Suits DISTINGUISHED

By Their Richness of Fabric

Suit coats follow the downward trend of skirts almost to a three-quarter length. Collars may reach the tips of the ears in Cossack Fashion. Some of the collars are quite large and are often worn either open at the neck or fastened high around the face. There are also scarf collars that are made with long ends that may be wrapped around the throat and draped across the shoulder.

Variation of Colors and Trimmings Allowed.

Navy Blue is the leader with some favor shown to black. There are also some grays and several browns. Fur is used quite a bit for trimming as well as embroidery on the more plain tailored types.

MATERIALS

For the plain tailored types Tricotine both in blue and black are remaining very popular, albeit there are some very fancy suits of these materials. Polart Twill, one of the better cloths that bids for a foremost place in the season, also promises to fare well among the better dressers. There are many other new fabrics, the leading ones being Velours de laine, Veldyne and Muessyne.

A More Variation in Scale of Prices Allowed Ranging in easy steps from

\$24.50 to \$75

Shaw's DEPARTMENT STORE

S.M. SHAW, PROP.

PHONE 77

ADA, OKLA.

THEATER McSWAIN THEATER

THE PLAYHOUSE OF CHARACTER

PRESENTING TODAY

ROSCOE (Fatty) ARBUCKLE

—IN—

"Brewster's Millions"

A Paramount Picture

He had to squander a million in a year. Easy, try it sometimes. Mean while come and see Fatty try it. A whale of a star in a whale of a picture.

From the Novel by GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEN

Prices: 10c and 25c

Stories of Great Scouts

By Elmo Scott Watson

© Western Newspaper Union.

JEDEDIAH STRONG SMITH, THE AMERICAN ULYSSES

This is a story of a modern Ulysses, a frontier hero of many wanderings, who died without receiving the fame which was his due, a man whose service to America has been but lately appreciated by his countrymen. Jedediah Strong Smith was his name, and his contribution to history was the first accurate mapping of the great West.

Smith was born in New York in 1798. As a boy he played with the young Seneca Indians of Chief Cornplanter's tribe, and learned their lore. He became an expert with the bow and arrow, which he afterward carried on all of his expeditions. Once he brought down a hawk flying about 75 yards above him, and he could drive a shaft to the heart of a buffalo as skillfully as any Indian hunter.

In years of wandering Smith crossed the western country on the south from the Colorado river to the Pacific; he crossed it midway from the Rockies to the Pacific, and he traversed it on the north from California to the Rockies. He visited all the important streams from Arizona to the Yellowstone country, and he made accurate notes of all he saw. This information was used in correcting the unreliable maps of the day and proved of inestimable value to later explorers.

Smith's death was heroic. In 1831 he was guiding a wagon train over the Santa Fe trail. The train had taken a short cut around the head of the Cimarron river and soon was lost in a desert country. Water must be found at once. Smith set out in search of a stream, and finally reached one. While drinking, he was surrounded by a band of Comanches, who determined to have the white man's gun.

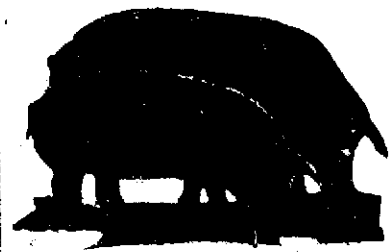
The Indians signified peace, and after talking in the sign language for a while, they succeeded in frightening Smith's horse. As it turned, they shot at the scout with arrows, wounding him in the arm. Smith wheeled about, shot the chief dead with his rifle and killed two more savages with his pistols. Then grasping his ax, the scout dashed into their midst. They cut him down with their lances, but when they approached to scalp him, Smith rose up again and stabbed three of them with his knife. Then he dropped dead. The Indians afterward admitted that he had killed 13 of their party before he died.

ADA TRAIN SCHEDULE

Frisco Railroad	
NORTH	
No. 114—Lv. Daily	3:57 a. m.
No. 516—Lv. Daily	12:05 p. m.
No. 512—Lv. Daily	4:20 p. m.
SOUTH	
No. 117—Lv. Daily	11:52 p. m.
No. 511—Lv. Daily	1:55 p. m.
No. 507—Lv. Daily	7:10 p. m.
Santa Fe Railroad	
EAST	
No. 450—Lv. Daily	12:10 p. m.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)	
No. 446—Ar. Daily	11:40 a. m.
(Stops here)	
WEST	
No. 449—Lv. Daily	10:05 a. m.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)	
No. 445—Lv. Daily	12:20 p. m.
M. K. & T. Railroad	
EAST	
No. 29—Lv. Daily	11:19 a. m.
No. 16—Lv. Daily	10:18 p. m.
WEST	
No. 13—Ar. Daily	4:34 p. m.
No. 15—Ar. Daily	5:42 a. m.

STATE FAIR IS INCENTIVE FOR RAISING PUREBREDS

City folks—especially the younger ones—sometimes wonder the why's and wherefore's of the livestock exhibits at a fair. The Oklahoma State Fair and Exposition which attracts hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of precious pure bred animals each year to its judging rings, answers this query with the following photograph, snapped on the hog farm of a prominent Oklahoma breeder.



A "State Fair Hog" and a "Taint Fair Pig"

The two swine above, photographed side by side, are exactly the same age. The large one is a pure bred sow—well known to State Fair exhibitors. The other is an ordinary average scrub pig and, as the owner says, "Taint fair to the breeder, feeder, stock yard man, butcher or consumer to handle him." He eats just as much as a pure bred and requires just as much care and attention but when the day of reckoning comes, the purebred State Fair type weighs in around 600 pounds while the scrub "taint fair" specie tips the beam at 150 or 200 lbs.

When you go to Oklahoma City for the fifteenth annual exposition, September 24 to October 1, be sure to visit the livestock exhibit and see why it pays to eliminate the scrub and raise the State Fair kind.

Breathes there an Oklahoman,
With so little hair
That he can't part from his home,
To see the State Fair.

Stop That Itching
If you suffer from any form of skin disease such as Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Poison Oak, Old Sores or if your children have some skin trouble, we will sell you a jar of "Blue Star Remedy" on a guarantee that if not satisfied your money will be refunded. Gwin and Mays Drug Co., Ada, Okla.

THOROBREDS AT STATE FAIR

Fast Track at Exposition Assures Record Running Races

Horse racing at the Oklahoma State Fair, September 24 to October 1, promises to be a much greater attraction than last year.

The new speed program of the Kansas state fair at Hutchinson, which precedes the Oklahoma City Exposition, is proving a great aid in attracting the desirable horses west of the Mississippi. I. S. Mahan, general manager, expects 250 entries, not only a larger number but also a more desirable class of horses than heretofore, to compete for purses which total over \$6,000. The Oklahoma Derby September 29, carries a purse of \$500 and added money. Racing days are September 26, 27, 29, and 30.

Do you want to sell anything to farmers, rent anything to them, exchange with them? There is a certain way to get your message to them, send it through the Ada Weekly News.

The man who invented a want-ad was on to his job. It is the quick road to results. Try one.

THE TROUSSEAU.

By CORONA REMINGTON.

"I could stand being just a poor little seamstress, Spry, although it is a tumble for Colonel Taintor's daughter, if only I didn't have to sew on gorgeous wedding gowns and dainty underwear. It makes me so lonesome and blue and I simply can't keep from thinking of Jim when I'm working on them. If his health hadn't broken down and he hadn't gone away or if he could only have understood that I would rather have married him sick than not at all. But what's the use of fretting, Spry?" the girl broke off. Mother has to be kept in medicine and comforts, and if it takes trousseaux to do it then trousseaux I'll make—that's all."

The collar lying at Evelyn Taintor's feet opened one brown eye lazily, gave two feeble flops to his bushy tail and closed his eye again. He was accustomed to hearing her talk to him and he knew that he would have no peace until he showed some sign of understanding and sympathy, so he had long ago formed the habit of wagging his tail in his sleep whenever he heard his name mentioned.

The girl stretched away busily on the tiny, handsome tucks and tried to make herself believe that she enjoyed the soft radiance on Miss Connor's face when she came to be fitted.

"When do I have to come back to be tried on?" Miss Connor asked the next time she came.

"It won't be necessary for a week or so. You see, we're practically the same size—except for the best dresses I can get along pretty well without you."

"That's a fact, though I never noticed it before," said Dorothy. Evelyn worked early and late on the pretty things, stitching as earnestly and with as much interest as if they were to be hers.

When at last the wedding dress was finished, Evelyn wrapped it tenderly in tissue paper and put it in its box. It was a wonderful thing of purest white and that night after she had packed it away she could not sleep for thinking about it. In the dark she could see it in front of her shimmering white—each fold in its place.

"I—I've never tried it on. I wonder how I'd look in it," she said.

Without taking time to think she leapt out of bed and flashed on the light. For a long while she sat in front of her mirror fixing her hair in its softest, most girlish way, then she slipped on her underclothes and went out into the dark sewing room. At every step she stopped to listen for a sound from her mother's room, but she was still sleeping quietly.

The next morning she rose early and went to work on proxy underwear, but to Evelyn nothing was proxy any more. Each garment seemed alive to her and she worked with a feeling of love toward them.

Her reflections were interrupted by the ringing of the telephone at her elbow.

"Miss Taintor?" said a voice at the other end.

"Yes."

"This is Dorothy Connor. I—I just wanted to say that I shouldn't need the trousseau. Do anything you like with it—keep it—throw it away—give it away; I don't care—I never want to see it again—it would kill me. Send the bill."

With a sob Miss Connor hung up the receiver and for a minute Evelyn sat in her chair stunned. She went through the day's work mechanically, scarcely realizing what she was doing. It must have been a year later that Evelyn read of Miss Connor's elopement with Tom Farlingham.

That day she got out the almost forgotten trousseau and had another dress rehearsal.

"I felt bitter toward it for a while after she split up, but I guess I love it again now and I'll keep it—it's mine," she told herself.

"I really am so wonderful in this dress," she couldn't help confessing to herself as a few minutes later she stood once more in front of the long mirror.

The door bell rang sharply and Evelyn held up her hands in dismay. What should she do? If it rang again, it would certainly wake her mother who was just getting a little nap after a night of pain. She slipped down the hall and opening the door a crack put her head around the corner.

"J-Jim! Oh, Jim!" she said, rushing toward him.

"Good Lord, Evelyn!" he exclaimed staring at the gown. "It can't be so. Don't—don't say this is your wedding day. I—I came back hoping you'd waited for me. I dropped our correspondence because my recovery was so uncertain I didn't feel I had the right to ask you to wait."

Then she told him all about the trousseau.

"Let's go right now, my darling, and get married," he pleaded. "I don't want any more scares like this one. I can't bear another hour away from you. You'll never know what it's been like hoping and praying and waiting and wondering and fighting all the time—fighting an almost hopeless fight."

"I've hoped and prayed and waited and wondered too, but it's all been so very worth while," she sighed happily as she crept a little closer into his strong arms and let the tears of joy fall unheeded on his coat.

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"POOR OLD DAD."

By VERA T. ROGERS.

Over and over again the thoughtful, studious Tremain impressed upon his daughter the fact that she should marry.

"Don't keep him waiting longer, my child," he would urge, while the pain in his dark, near-sighted eyes was all too evident. "He loves you, you love him, and he is a fine fellow."

"But, daddy—let you live alone?" Clytie's St. Cecilia face would lift to scan the expression behind his heavy spectacles.

"You have been a wonderful daughter; you have thought of me always; now we must think of you." He was smoothing her soft hair with a thin white hand. "I won't have you left alone—as Libbie Carson was when her father went at last. It is your right—every woman's right—to marry," he would stoutly affirm, but his heart quaked with the dread of losing his only child, the sunshine of his scholarly life.

And Clytie would look long out of the window at the big, empty Carson home, across the elm-bordered street. It had been used as a hospital during the war. Libbie—husbandless, childless and the last of the Carsons—was wondering.

One February evening she stared through the bare branches of the trees until every gray-shuttered window seemed to mock her with the eyes of starved ghosts. She twisted her hands in an agony of indecision: "I can't leave daddy for Race. If only mother had lived!" Then she wept hysterically. Her father, buried in his books, did not hear, but her lover came upon her unawares.

"Clytie, darling," he whispered, "let's get married right away; you've kept me waiting long enough."

"That—that's what daddy says, too," she gulped weakly, from the pressure of his strong arms.

"He does?" shouted Race. "Your dad's a brick!" he added inelegantly. "Perhaps we can persuade him to live with us, once we're married."

She shook her head to assure him that her father never would, while a strange, new emotion hurried the heart against his breast. At that moment a finger of light from the rising moon touched the face of the house across the street. It was fateful.

"Per—perhaps daddy could be persuaded," she whispered softly.

The ceremony was a quiet one in the big, flower-decked library. While Clytie promised to love, honor and obey Horace Townley, her subconscious mind was an exclamation point: "Move daddy and all these books to a city apartment!" Then she was whisked away to a Southern honeymoon.

Tremain's married sister stayed on with him while Clytie was gone. He would have preferred to be alone, with the memory of his daughter and the unobtrusive ministrations of the elderly housekeeper. Aunt Emma wasn't used to his ways, she was a fussier and managed to mislay his books and papers with her constant tidying.

The bookworm was frequently driven from the house by her industry. The sight of a feather duster, with a long handle, in her capable hands, was the signal for his departure. "It will do him good," was her brisk answer to the old housekeeper when she remonstrated. "Clytie let her father have too much of his own way. But, land alive! what could one expect from a child with such a heathen name? He isn't fifty yet, and he moves about like an old man."

The harassed man ceased, at last, to slam the outer door as a violent reproach to his officious relative. He began to enjoy his long walks in the keen March air and bright sun. His eyesight began to improve, his stooped shoulders straightened perceptibly, and his long limbs were acquiring a rhythmic swing in place of the former wobble. Aunt Emma smiled behind her duster.

The glowing bride stepped from the gangplank into her father's strong grip.

"Why, Daddy," she gasped, "is it really you?"

"You may thank, or blame, your aunt for this coat of tan," smiled Tremain, when he had greeted the beaming Race. "But who is this?"

"Forgive me, Miss Carson," Clytie sweetly apologized to a fair woman with smiling blue eyes, who stood behind her. "We met her on the boat Daddy—you remember—from the house across the street?"

"Libbie—Libbie Carson!" Tremain had taken both gloved hands which the laughing woman held out.

"Morse Tremain—you don't look a day over forty!"

The young folk had turned away to look over the luggage.

"Do you know, I believe Daddy can be persuaded to live with us, after all?" cried the delighted bride.

"Think so?—I don't," grinned Race, knowingly.

Clytie looked back over his shoulder and stood stock still. The pair at the other end of the pier were in a world of their own. Her father's attitude was unmistakable, but the astute words she couldn't hear.

"It is your duty, Libbie—every woman's duty—to marry."

Nor the pink-faced woman's answer: "I believe it is, Morse."

"Oh! Race—she's a darling," gasped Clytie. Then the St. Cecilia face lifted reverently in the sunshine.

"I tell you the News want ads certainly bring results," is a statement made every day to the advertising department. Are you getting your share of these results?

STATE OF YUCATAN SOCIALIST STRONGHOLD

(By the Associated Press.)

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 29.—Travelers returning here from the state of Yucatan describe that region as a socialist stronghold with radicalism strongly entrenched from the governorship down to the most minor office.

Felipe Carrillo, member of the federal Chamber of Deputies whose radicalism recently led to attempts to oust him from the lower house, is the acknowledged leader and in all probability will be elected governor at the elections next fall. Although the radicals are divided into two groups—the regular socialist party and the Socialist party of the Southeast, of which Carrillo is the head—they are united in the cause of Communism, it is reported, and operate as the "league of resistance." Membership cards to this organization are printed on flaming red paper. Its letter heads are printed in red and it is said that all official documents are written with red ink.

The organization of socialists was begun in Yucatan in 1915 and has

been growing steadily ever since. At various times the most extreme of the radicals have advocated a separatist movement from Mexico but this has never been given serious consideration because Yucatan in no sense is self-supporting.

Yucatan at the present time is in a bad state economically. There is practically no market for henequen, the chief product of the state, and the large growers have been forced to store their crops and are not replanting. The result is almost disastrous to the peasant class which easily lends itself to the influence of the radicals who conduct their propaganda under the slogan of "help for the poor downtrodden Indian."

The economic situation has given rise to numerous instances of lawlessness and only recently a delegation of Yucatan journalists visited President Obregon to protest in person against the assassination of one of their number and to present other facts relative to a situation, which they described as a "disgrace and a menace." President Obregon promised that full investigation would be made.

Newspaper dispatches from that region frequently tell of clashes between radicals and the conservatives with occasional bloodshed.

In line with these facts is the report recently cabled officially to

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the government here that the Communist congress which met in Moscow several months ago designated Yucatan as the headquarters for its propaganda work in Latin America.

That "all in" feeling so common in hot weather is not due to heat alone, but to an unhealthy condition in the liver, stomach and bowels. To prevent a spell of sickness take Prickly Ash Bitters. Men find it excellent as a system cleanser and regulator. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by Gwin & Mays. (adv)

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Announcement--

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Then we have ROY RAINES with us, everybody who drives a "gas-going vehicle" knows Roy. He can fix anything from a Ford to a Rolls-Royce in short notice.

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We will be pleased to have our many friends call on us when in need of any thing in our line.

Respectfully,

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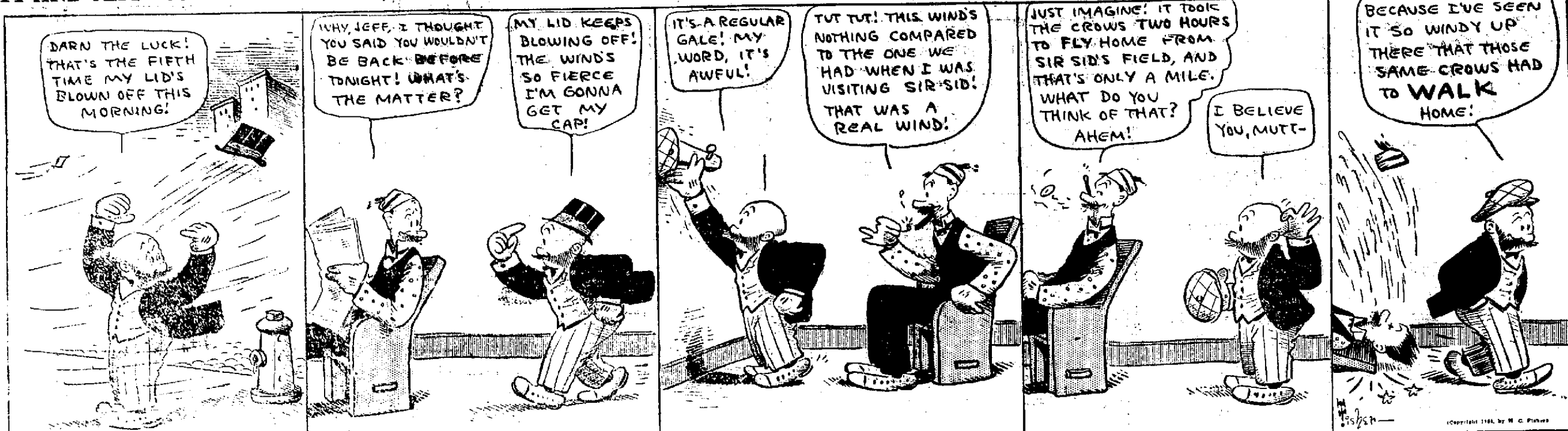
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By BUD FISHER



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FOR SALE—My residence, 712 East 12th street. Small payment will handle. G. W. Taylor, phone 147. 8-29-61*

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IN SPORT CIRCLES

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Western League			
Wichita	79	53	.598
Oklahoma City	74	57	.565
Omaha	76	59	.563
Sioux City	65	66	.496
Joplin	64	65	.496
St. Joseph	62	67	.481
Des Moines	61	70	.468
Tulsa	45	89	.336

National League			
Pittsburg	77	46	.626
New York	76	50	.603
Boston	65	55	.542
St. Louis	65	57	.533
Brooklyn	64	61	.512
Cincinnati	55	68	.447
Chicago	49	73	.402
Philadelphia	41	82	.333

American League			
Cleveland	76	44	.632
New York	73	46	.614
Washington	65	50	.562
St. Louis	63	60	.513
Boston	58	62	.483
Detroit	58	67	.464
Chicago	52	69	.432
Philadelphia	42	78	.356

RESULTS YESTERDAY

Western League
Oklahoma City 5-2; Omaha 2-0.
Wichita 6; Sioux City 4.
St. Joseph 1-5; Tulsa 0-4.

National League
Pittsburg 2; Brooklyn 0.
New York 4; Chicago 2.
No other games scheduled.

American League
Cleveland 3; Washington 2.
Detroit 7; New York 3.
St. Louis 12; Philadelphia 4.
Boston 6; Chicago 5 (11 innings).
GAMES TODAY

Western League
Oklahoma City at St. Joseph.
Wichita at Des Moines.
Joplin at Sioux City.
Tulsa at Omaha.

National League
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Boston.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Chicago at New York.

American League
No games scheduled.

Want to buy a home? Turn to the want ads.

Turn to the want ad page.

FOR SALE

REMINGTON NO. 10 TYPEWRITER, good as new. Will sell at bargain. This machine can be seen at the office of the Ada News at any time. If you are in need of a typewriter, you will miss an opportunity if you do not see this one—and then buy it.

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WANTED

All who are willing to donate their cars for use of

MASONS

Tuesday afternoon, please phone 449 and ask for.

WALTER WRAY

ALLEGED DOPE IS SEIZED BY AGENT

Federal Investigator Nabs Man in Postoffice With Package.

After patiently watching for almost a week a consignment of "dope" said to have been shipped from a point in Indiana, Charles C. Post, federal agent from Oklahoma City, arrested Charles F. Kasper here early Monday morning as Kasper is alleged to have been in the act of removing the package from the postoffice.

The man was placed in the county jail and the package was opened in his presence. He made no statement other than that he was receiving the package for a doctor. The shipment was addressed to "W. F. Hufstetter, M. D."

Kasper, according to Federal Agent Post, was liable to arrest under any one of three charges, getting narcotics through mail, thereby violating postal laws, and also under state and federal charges for the possession of narcotics. He probably will be taken before the United States commissioner for an examination soon. The package, according to a statement made by Post immediately after he left the county jail here where he examined Kasper and the consignment said to have been received by him, contained an ounce of morphine.

Mr. Post has been federal enforcement agent in Oklahoma for 15 years. During that time he has handled thousands of cases, some in practically every county.

"I can tell a 'dope' as far as I can see him," Post said this morning. "Their strategy in receiving the stuff is becoming more intricate every day and in some places the traffic is reaching surprising proportions. Forged instruments are being widely used now to get it."

Mr. Post denied the theory set forth by a Muskogee chemist that prohibition is causing an increase in violation of anti-narcotic laws in Oklahoma.

He has been in Ada several days, he said.

WORD FROM LOGAN COUNTY AWAITED ANXIOUSLY TODAY

(By the Associated Press)
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 29.—State authorities were today anxiously awaiting advice from the eastern part of Logan county. Somewhere in that county Adjutant General J. H. Sharrock, together with C. Q. Wert, a member of the United Mine workers executive board and a personal representative of Charles F. Keeney, president of district 17, would dismiss workers following yesterday's reports to Governor Morgan that state police and deputies on one side and unidentified men on the other had fought an engagement at Boach creek, Boone county line.

All telephones in Ethel, Sharples and Blair, mining communities in the eastern part of Logan county, were out of order all this morning. Neither was it possible to reach Logan.

Reports circulated over the state today that the miners who set out from Marmet to march to Mingo, were again gathering at Marmet were discouraged by state authorities.

When the Civil War broke out and he wanted to enlist there seemed little possibility of success—he at seventeen with a crippled hand, suffered in an accident years before. Physicians refused him and he watched his father go to war before him.

Finally he struck upon a plan. He volunteered and persuaded a friend of his, Joe Witter, a youth of big stature and health, to step forward when his name was called for physical examination. The ruse, with a little patriotic fib about his age, worked and, in 1862 J. Q. Moore enrolled as a member of Company 5, 128th Pennsylvania Infantry.

And now, Commandant Moore's opinion, he is yet serving his enlistment, jokingly remarking that he is "probably suffering for his falsehood of earlier days."

WONDERS OF AMERICA

By T. T. MAXEY

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VALLEY FORGE

IN THE picturesque valley of the Schuylkill river, twenty miles northwest of Philadelphia, there is a sacred spot at which every American should give himself the privilege of worshipping sometime during his or her lifetime.

It is the then unattractive site, lined with barren, frozen hillsides, where General George Washington and his little army of about 10,000 half-starved, poorly-clad patriots bivouaced, suffering unthinkable hardships, from December, 1777, to June, 1778, following the tragic battle of the Brandywine and the occupancy of Philadelphia by the British.

This circumstance of history bequeathed to this hallowed place a glory and a fame which will attach to it throughout the ages to come as will the more recent struggle to the region of the Argonne in France.

A tract of about 500 acres has been purchased by the state of Pennsylvania and the government, with patient determination and admirable completeness, is restoring ancient landmarks and transforming this historic camp-site of the Continental army into an everlasting National Shrine.

The Daughters of the American Revolution have erected a noble shaft to the unknown who sleep here and the Valley Forge Museum of American History contains many relics of the day. One fills with emotion as he enters the little cottage where General Washington had his simple headquarters and feels the odor of smutty as he steps into the Washington Memorial Chapel, sometimes called "The Westminster of America."

PATRIOTIC "FIB" GOT CIVIL WAR VET OVER

(By the Associated Press)

MILFORD, Neb., Aug. 29.—Hale and hearty at 77 years, a veteran of the Civil War through a patriotic "fib" and now with the responsibility of 268 comrades-survivors of that same struggle on his shoulders, J. O. Moore, commandant of the Nebraska Soldiers' and Sailors' home here, pursues his daily tasks with comradeship and economy his twin watchwords.

Commandant Moore's duties are varied and numerous, from nurse at times to diplomatic interloper in the petty fusses and domestic financial and family misunderstandings, but he loves his work, he says, and asked which part he liked best replied "every bit of it." More than sixty of this enrollment are wives of veteran inmates.

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USE OF DOPE MAY BE GROWING FAST

Government Chemist Says Prohibition Increases Drug Menace.

MUSKOGEE, Aug. 29.—The estate drama that came from a "shot in the arm" is spreading. In the belief of a government chemist who arrived in Muskogee last week to analyze narcotic specimens held as evidence in the federal court here.

He is J. R. Manning of Little Rock, Ark., chief chemist of the southwestern district of the United States bureau of internal revenue. "From the records of my office I am forced to believe the narcotic evil is growing despite the efforts of the government to abolish it," said Mr. Manning. "When I was transferred from Washington, D. C., to Little Rock, last March, out of 400 specimens of narcotics and liquor that month only 70 were narcotic."

"Already this month we have made 500 analyses and 350 of them were of narcotics."

Prohibition Cause. Mr. Manning declared that in his opinion prohibition is largely responsible for the spread of the narcotic evil and that many persons who formerly resorted to liquor have become drug users since their supplies of whiskey have been cut off.

Mr. Manning's territory includes ten states, of which Oklahoma is one, and the work of his laboratory is developing so rapidly that his staff of assistant chemists has been increased since March from one to three.

Beverages are analyzed, according to Mr. Manning, both to ascertain the alcoholic content and whether or not the liquor contains any poison.

"We have found thirty different kinds of poison in liquor specimens sent to us for analysis," the chemist declared. "The most frequent are wood alcohol, nitro benzol, formaldehyde, fusel oil and ether. Of course, fusel oil is present in all whiskey, the amount decreasing as the liquor ages."

"We are not finding as much wood alcohol as formerly. The drinking public seems to have learned a lesson in regard to this poison, but in one specimen of so-called whiskey made from denatured alcohol we found bichloride of mercury, which is a corrosive poison destroying the organs. Several persons had died from drinking the 'whisky' of which this was a sample."

75 Specimens Here. Mr. Manning has seventy-five specimens to analyze in Muskogee and he expects the work will take him a week. He expects to do most of his clerical work in the federal building, but in case the equipment he carries with him should prove inadequate he has been offered the use of a private laboratory. Among the specimens he will analyze here are those taken from the sanatorium of Dr. E. C. Morrison, negro, at Taft.

The chief chemist for this district formerly was in the federal laboratory at Washington, D. C., but to facilitate the work the country was divided into five districts with a complete laboratory at each district headquarters. As much of the work as possible is done at headquarters, but all the chemists work also in the field.

The ten states in this district are Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee.

Mr. Manning holds degrees from George Washington university, Western Maryland university and Texas A. and M. College. He also holds an appointment as a revenue agent.

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"VAMPS" WHO MADE HISTORY

By JAMES C. YOUNG.

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THE WOMAN OF MISFORTUNE.

THE loves of Marion Delorme all seemed to end in misfortune. She was devotedly attached to Cinq Mars, that brilliant young figure introduced at the court of Louis XIII by the great Richelieu. Cinq Mars distinguished himself at the siege of Arras in 1640 and immediately felt himself become a favorite of the king and a notable of the day. Richelieu either believed that Cinq Mars was unfitted to command or else found his rising star a peril to himself. So he opposed the granting of the young man's wishes. Louis temporized, and Cinq Mars talked rashly of overthrowing the cardinal. Then he did something much worse, negotiating with Spain to further his conspiracy. Richelieu exposed him and he was executed at the premature age of twenty-two.

His death plunged Marion into grief. But soon she reappeared in that half world just below the court. Her salon became one of the centers of Parisian life. She had a succession of lovers, even including Richelieu, it was said. But each time misfortune attended her. Then came the death of the cardinal and the rise to power of Mazarin, also cardinal and first minister of France. And not long afterward a civil struggle began which was known as the Fronde. Many of the leaders were reputed to gather at the house of Marion. That meant more misfortune. Mazarin sent to have her arrested. But suddenly she died and the cardinal was frustrated.

Now that is the story which history tells about Marion Delorme. But there is another and a far stranger story which has many indications of truth. According to this account she did not die at the dramatic moment history records, but a dead woman resembling her was laid out for public inspection and duly buried. Then, the story runs, Marion resumed her career in other lands, finally returning to Paris for an old age spent in misery. One account holds that she lived until 1700, dying at the age of ninety-three after living through one of the most eventful centuries that history has known. If these stories be true, what strange thoughts must have been those of Marion, in her old age, looking back upon the time of her youth when she consorted with Cinq Mars, the king's minister, and the most powerful figures of the day.

5,700,000 IDLE IN COUNTRY NOW

Problems of Unemployment to be Studied Soon in Conference.

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Plans for President Harding's conference on unemployment will be commenced in time to permit the gathering to meet by the middle of September, it was said today by Secretary Hoover, who has been given charge of the arrangements. Mr. Hoover said it was hoped to limit the members to the conference to 15 or 25, representing the country at large. A small number is necessary, Mr. Hoover declared, to permit the conference to work and to avoid a "debating society."

Controversy contest, such as the closed shop, wages or conditions of labor, will be avoided by the convention, the secretary asserted, adding that the aim of the conference would be to take an investigation of unemployment and the action by industries and communities to improve the unemployment situation throughout the country.

The conference, Mr. Hoover said, may continue for some time as it will be necessary to make a survey of the situation and determine the needs of the unemployment of breadwinners. Late unemployment statistics of labor department have placed the number out of work at 5,700,000.

Mr. Hoover expressed the belief that a close study of the conditions would reveal a somewhat smaller total. During the time of high wages the number of people at work number as high as four and five in one family, not because it was necessary, and that all these could not be placed in the unemployment list, he said.

Mr. Hoover stated it was not planned to make the conference a meeting of capital and labor, but to work out through efficiency the questions to come up. A count will be made on what can be done by each major industry, but public officials and the country at large will be asked to promote work for the workers during the winter.

LAWTON—The school of fire at Fort Sul, Okla., on the government reservation near here, will open September 15. A total of 136 officers are to attend. Three new buildings are being constructed at the school of fire as officers' quarters. When completed the total capacity of officers' quarters at the school will 150.

ARDMORE—A wholesale fruit house capitalized at \$30,000 was organized here recently, with Oklahoma men exclusively as officers.

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ADA PULLS GAME IN LAST INNING

Local Ball Club Breaks Even at Chandler until Ninth.

CHANDLER, Aug. 29.—(Special) A game with much excitement and a few errors and one in which the result was doubtful until the last inning was played between the Ada and Chandler ball clubs here Sunday. Ada taking the big end of the score by one point. The final score was 5-4.

The sensation of the game was the hit in the ninth by Lefty Waner, who up to this time had gone hitless. With the score 4 to 3 in favor of Chandler, Waner hit the ball for two bases and scored West and Fain, both having made safe hits at the beginning of the inning. Biggers, pitching for Chandler, gave Waner a low one and allowed him to put it past the danger zone. He was also invincible in the ninth and did not give the Chandler hitters a chance for a come-back.

Chandler started things going in the second inning when they made the first score of the game after Waner had walked. Beavers and then allowed a three base hit by D. P. Sparks.

Ada failed to make a showing until the fourth, Vernon hit safely and crossed the plate on C. Sparks' hit to right field. This made the game interesting and things looked better for Ada.

Fifth Round Ada's Hoodoo.

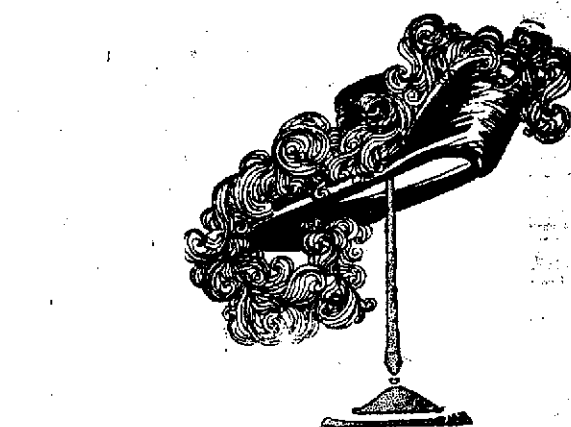
The fifth inning proved almost a disaster for Ada when they allowed three runs before a rally could be made to stop heavy hitting by Chandler men. By a series of errors from almost every man in the game, Chandler broke the strong opposition put up by Ada and for a time took things with a rush.

Ada again came back in the sixth and drew two runs. Safe hits by C. Sparks and Roach made it possible for them to score on R. Waner's second hit of the game, a two bagger, scoring the men ahead of him. The game went into the ninth with the score 4 to 3 for Chandler. With a final rally Ada pulled victory out of a good chance for defeat and took her twelfth consecutive game of the year.

Lefty Waner proved himself equal to the occasion several times. He refused Chandler runs, though they had good chances. Roach at third and Rutledge at first accepted several hard chances and helped to make the game an even break for odds.

On the Chandler line-up were Eddie Palmer of the Dallas Marines; Beavers, who played with Ada last season; Hogan, a university star; Oskood, Chandler's star player last season; and Biggers, pitcher from the Mid Western Association club.

Return games will be played at Ada between these clubs on Sunday, Sept. 4 and on Labor Day. Chandler's line-up will be re-inforced by the addition of Tony Thebo, the steller out-fielder who was a favorite of fans last season in the Chandler series.



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ed by the addition of Tony Thebo, so that he could not see the brakeman.

OKLAHOMA CITY—Claude E. Connally, state labor commissioner, said he would say offhand that the employment situation in Oklahoma now is only 40 or 50 per cent of normal. He is now completing a survey on the entire condition of labor, he said, with particular attention to the oil industry.

Brakeman Run Down and Killed Trying to Flag His Train

(By the Associated Press) OKLAHOMA CITY, August 29.—J. R. Higgeson, Jr., of this city, was instantly killed early today at Indianola, according to reports received at the Frisco chief dispatcher's office here. According to the reports, Higgeson, who was a brakeman on a westbound extra train, was run down by an east bound train which he attempted to flag. The body was taken to Lawton. Grant B. Smith, engineer of the eastbound train said, according to reports, that the headlight on the westbound train had blinded him

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"MASTER MIND" TO BE STATE WITNESS, WORD

(By the Associated Press) CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—That J. Whitehead Worthington, alleged "master mind" of a band of mail robbers whose loot totaled \$6,000,000 and associated with Charles W. French in many of his schemes of the \$50,000,000 organization, may turn state's evidence was indicated today when Worthington asked to appear in court when French is arraigned.

Writing to Col. J. V. Clininn, assistant district attorney, from the

Woodstock jail where he is held a prisoner, Worthington said:

"There may be a possible information I may be able to supply you with. I believe that I can be of great help to you."

Clininn said that Worthington appeared to believe that he had been double crossed by French. Famous Novel is Screened for Ar-tuckle. Millions have read the novel, "Brewster's Millions." Thousands have seen the play an opportunity to see the photoplay, founded on the novel and the play, with Roscoe (Patty) Arbuckle, the noted comedian in the title role, when it is shown at the McSwain theatre today.

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ONE SEVENTH OF STATE DEAD ARE PAST 70 YEARS

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 27.—More than one seventh of the total number of persons who died in Oklahoma in 1920 outlived their biblical allotment of "three-score years and ten," according to statistics contained in the fifth annual report of the state department of health. There were 16,154 deaths reported with 2,580 persons more than 70 years old at the time of their death.

There were eighteen persons reported more than 100 years old at the time of death. Among persons between 90 and 100 years old 122 deaths were reported, while 693 were reported among persons between 80 and 90. From 70 to 80 years there were 1,479 deaths, according to the report.

The death rate for children less than 5 years amounted to 28.6 per cent of the total; from 5 to 9 years 3.8 percent; 10 to 14 years, 2.9 percent; 15 to 19 years, 4.3 percent; 20 to 24 years, 10 percent; 25 to 29 years, 7.8 percent; 30 to 34 years, 7.8 percent; 35 to 39 years, 7.9 percent; 40 to 44 years, 7.9 percent; 45 to 49 years, 7.9 percent; 50 to 54 years, 7.9 percent; 55 to 59 years, 7.9 percent; 60 years and older, 23.8 percent; and unknown 1.7 percent.

The state death rate was 7.8 to 1,000 persons, while the birth rate for the state was 19.9 to 1,000. Oklahoma City's death rate was 12.9 to 1,000 and its birth rate 20.2 to 1,000.

McAlester led the state with its death rate of 17.5 to 1,000, with a birth rate of only 14.5. Marshall and Cotton counties ran a close race for first place in raising children, with Marshall winning by the score of 29.8 to 1,000 against 29.2 to 1,000 in Cotton.

MUSKOGEE—A two weeks' criminal term of the district court of this city will begin September 19, according to the county attorney.